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Shanghai, June 30, 1937-XV. -7

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The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from July 6, 1937 to July 12, 1937, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

K. McKELVIE,
Secretary.

Shanghai, June 30, 1937. 8055

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The Transfer Books and Share Register will be closed from July 5 to July 12, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Directors,

R. T. BURCH,
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Shanghai, July 1, 1937. 8046

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I have taken over as per May 16, 1937, the Nektar Mineral Water Factory and Distillery as a going concern but without any claims and or liabilities of the firm and/or Mr. F. Denkhaus. Outstanding accounts previous to May 16, 1937, are to be paid to Mr. F. Denkhaus.

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Shanghai, June 25, 1937.

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The Transfer Books and Share Register of the Company will be closed from July 13 to 16, 1937, both days inclusive.

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Shanghai, June 25, 1937. 12477

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16,166 13 4	.... January, 1937	
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16,166 13 4	.... May, 1937	
16,166 13 4	.... June, 1937	
	To the Central Bank of China, the Bank of China, the Bank of Communications and the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation:—Sixth Redemption of Principal	£ 60,000 0 0
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Shanghai, July 1, 1937. HSU KAN, *Chairman of the Committee.*

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To the Editor of the
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SIR,—I wish to thank you for your promptness in publishing my letter in yesterday's "N.-C.D.N." regarding my visit to the Chinese City and asking for a home for a Tibetan Poodle; also for your kind co-operation in putting interested parties in touch with me; and for your humane leaderette "Canine Travail." Your caption is indeed most appropriate for it is "travail" for the unfortunate dogs which are tied up so tightly they can scarcely move, and the majority of which are starving. For instance, one shop which I passed had two small dogs tied-up near a cage of pigeons to which a generous helping of uncooked rice had just been given, naturally to increase their weight; the dogs were straining to lick up the odd pieces of this uncooked rice which fell from the cage. Their condition was really deplorable. In fact, the only way I can describe my visit to the Chinese City is that it was "heart-breaking." On the other hand, we realize that the more dogs we purchase there, the more will be stolen to meet the demand. You will notice I say "stolen" inasmuch as, prior to my visit there, I had sent my servant to see if he could find a French Poodle for me, and he was told to come back in three days and one would be there for him. However, I made a point of visiting the two shops who had promised to have French Poodles but they did not, have any and said they could not get them! This bartering of dogs will continue in the Chinese City until there is some regulation enforced to prohibit it, and I do wish someone more learned then I am in this matter could suggest a remedy.

Will you, through the medium of your paper, please thank for me, all those who kindly telephoned offering the Tibetan Poodle a home. I am glad to say he was claimed by his owner and has gone home happy and contented. Might I suggest that anyone desiring a dog should go to the Chinese City, also the S.M.C. and French kennels?

HUMANE.

Shanghai, June 30.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Case for Extension

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Both as a parent and as a teacher the writer heartily endorses the views expressed by PARENT and PARENTS OF TWO regarding the date regarding the date set for the re-opening of the Girls' Cathedral School. September 6 is too early. Anyone with experience of Shanghai summers knows that the first half of September is apt to be very trying. Anyone with teaching experience knows too that it is impossible to settle down to regular work before October because of children coming in late. Many people do not return from their holidays till the second or third week of September. One cannot but feel, all things considered, that the date set for the re-opening of the French Municipal School, September 16 is a much more sensible one. It is to be feared though that letters to the paper will not bring about a postponement. It would be better for these correspondents and others interested to appeal direct to the School Committee. It is only reasonable to think that they would consider the matter and that they would be willing to name a later date for the re-opening of school, say, September 16. That would give time for the late comers to settle in so that work could commence in real earnest by October. Work would not suffer but would benefit by the change.

Such an appeal should be made forwith so that an announcement might be made in the local press. Many people have not yet left, and those who have would soon learn of the postponement. Very few sensible people would think September 16 too late.

PAMASTER.

Shanghai, June 29.

EMPLOYMENT PROSPECTS

Some Old Time Memories

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—May I congratulate the REV. P. C. MATTHEWS on his very sensible letter respecting employment for local youths here who hold a "school certificate." I am rather inclined to feel that the requests for local boys show a complete change of the times, because in the old days of 30 to 40 years ago local boys of the same class had great difficulty in getting positions at all, due of course to the few firms then existing, and I rather wonder if there are many more firms now than there formerly were, because it is evident many have given up owing to the severe depression, which is not yet by any means over.

It would have been very interesting had MR. MATTHEWS made it clear from what particular trade or line of business, other than purely mercantile firms, came the request for youths. Would it be engineering firms, the Municipal Council, the oil and tobacco companies, chartered accountants' offices, or such special establishments? I wonder—because in the old days youths here were taken into offices at $50 or so per month and they were left to their own fate, managers or heads of firms and departments being obviously indifferent to their welfare on beginning their careers or even afterwards; the general rule was to have experienced men of about 25 years of age from home on a 3-5 years' agreement.

Of course, in offices here youths did not then get the same personal and necessary training compared with the home youth; with them there was no copying of letters, delivering letters, attending the counter and telephone, to eventually in one or two years get a higher desk position keeping subsidiary books of the firm, correspondence, getting experience in sales or buying departments, manifest writing and such like.

From MR. MATTHEWS' statement it seems that, due to the local economic situation, some offices must be after a lower-priced assistant, because these "school certificated" boys can be quite useful in an office here if they will apply themselves earnestly in the beginning and learn to do useful work such as writing up a cash book, doing duplicating work, typewriting and shorthand, filing work, etc., all for $100 to $200 per month to begin—and quite enough pay for a beginner. As regards their future, I feel with MR. MATTHEWS that the days of the foreigner in China are very doubtful and become more so a time goes on.

There is, however, no use whatever in comparing the request for boys at home with Shanghai; there has always been a very large surplus of youths of school age seeking employment—"What shall we do with our boys" has been the shout during the past half-century and longer, due largely to the fact that parents or youths are too particular and undecided until by *force majeure* they are compelled to put their boys to something or anything; rather than go idle and earn nothing, they placed them in grocers' shops, apprenticed them to shipbuilding yards and engineering works, put them into railway services of all sorts, hired them to farmers for six months to a year, or they entered weaving works etc. The very same chances are today open to everyone here and everywhere, it is only a question of grasping the situation correctly for youths who have eventually more or less to fend for themselves.

May I add that I feel I know what I am writing about—the proof of the pudding is in the eating of it—and I may say I have met this very same type of youths time and again who took their chance in the beginning; some of them who entered the railway services I have met as managers, heads of departments, sercretaries, etc; some who entered offices as office boys I have met as head book-men; some who became school teachers I have met as professors at Universities, and I have met some who even became ship-owners of reasonably large shipping firms; some were chief railway engineers, etc.

One I knew well who started as a railway porter and became head of his railway company, while another railway porter became head man at his railway company's shipping port, where he was responsible for the despatch of 60 to 100 steamers a month fully loaded.

A. J. RICHARDSON.

Shanghai, June 30.

APRIL ACCOUNTS

Pushkin Russian School

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I submit herewith a report of our school accounts for the month of April:

RECEIPTS:	
Subscriptions of members ..	232.00
Parents Committee donation .	100.00
Loan from R.N. Committee .	200.00
Subscription of friends	223.00
Luncheon allowance from Russian National Committee	30.00
Tuition fees	239.00
Luncheon fees	7.00
Total	1,031.00
DISBURSEMENTS:	
House rent for 2 months ..	190.00
Deposits light and water ..	38.00
Telephone installation	10.00
Tea crockery, kitchen utensils etc.	54.52
Cleaning and washing of class rooms	14.00
Stationary and printing	40.89
Daily news papers	6.42
Kitchen coal	7.02
Luncheon to pupils	47.25
Salaries to teachers	552.54
Petty expenses	17.92
Total	978.56
Balance in cash	52.44
Total	1,031.00

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Fifteen Charges Against an 8-Year Old Lad

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"Of all the boys I have ever had here this is the smallest and the worst." This statement by the custodian of a remand home was quoted recently in a case at Poole, Dorset.

It referred to an eight-year-old who was charged at the juvenile court with 15 offences, mostly housebreaking. They involved the theft of over £30 and covered a period of from before Christmas to a few weeks ago. The boy admitted them all.

Supt. Swain said: "At one time I was doubtful whether such a small boy could have committed all the offences, because in many cases they looked like the work of an expert cracksman.

"The boy has been taken to the various places by a plain clothes officer and has pointed out in each case how he had obtained entry, and what he had done. We are now satisfied that he was responsible.

"I have 47 police reports concerning the conduct of this boy, who seems to be entirely out of parental and school control.

"His parents put him in leaded boots to keep him in, and he has been found long distances from home, still wearing them. They had also chained him and tied him without effect.

Gymnastic Tricks

"At other times he was put to bed without clothes, and was found emerging from an upper window in his shirt.

"Only 18/- of the total sums which he had obtained had been traced.

"While he was at the remand home awaiting the court hearing he gave the authorities there great trouble. The custodian removed his shoes to prevent him absconding, and later found him performing gymnastic tricks on a fire escape, 30ft from the ground."

The boy's mother said that he had wandered away at all hours of the day and night, and she had been out at 2 a.m. looking for him.

On some of his expeditions he had taken with him two brothers, aged seven and five.

"Once he got away from home; to find him was like looking for a needle in a haystack," added the mother.

Although in the ordinary way a boy must be 10 before he can be sent to a special school, it was decided to send him to such a school until he reaches the age of 16.

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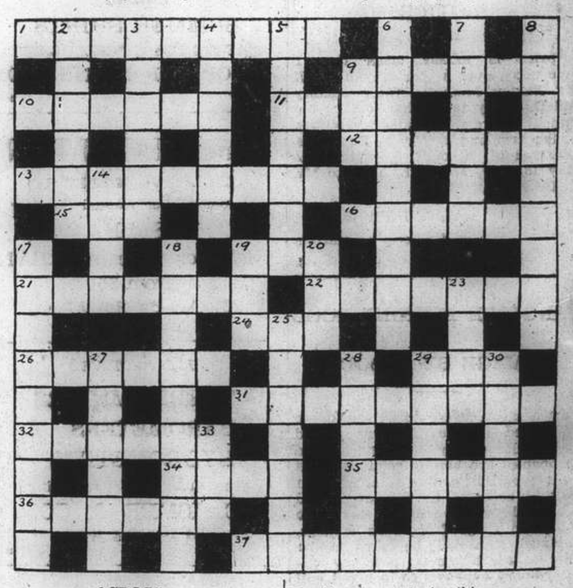

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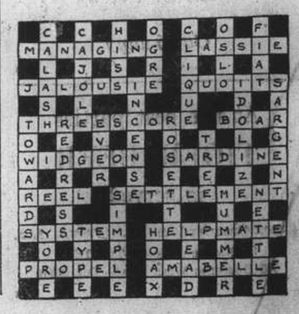

The Woman's Page

LONDON HAPPENINGS

TOWN AND COUNTRY WEDDINGS: OPEN-AIR ENTERTAINING: THE QUEEN'S GARTER MANTLE

By "Mary Anne"

London, June 8.

Twelve hundred guests will attend two brilliant wedding parties to-day—one in Town and one in the country.

Nearly 600 people are expected at No. 144, Piccadilly after the marriage of Lady Allendale's brother, Mr. Victor Seely, and Miss Mary Collins.

Over 600 people will go down to Lord Jersey's "red-bricked pleasaunce," Osterley Park, for the reception there after the marriage of his sister, Lady Ann Child-Villiers, and Mr. A. H. Elliot, at the little country church of Heston.

At Osterley Park

Memories of the brilliant parties of Victorian days, given by the bride's grandmother, the Dowager Countess of Jersey, will be recalled by to-day's reception.

A touch of Ascot pageantry will be provided by the ethereal frocks and widebrimmed hats chosen by wedding guests.

In the walks by the lake where Mr. Joseph Chamberlain used to row in a top hat, and in the avenues known to Elizabethans and at later periods to Horce Walpole and Robert Browning, guests from Town will enjoy an afternoon in the country.

Wedding Cake Innovation

Problems of the crowded wedding buffet have been solved by the bride's mother, Lady Cynthia Slessor. She is having a 50ft-long buffet, more than twice the usual length, placed in the gallery. In addition there will be small round tables in the dining room.

A new fashion will be set by this bride—that of having the wedding cake surmounted by a model in sugar of the family seat. The nearest approach to this substitute for the usual spray of white flowers was the hunting scene on the cake at the Hon. Lavinia Strutt's wedding to the Duke of Norfolk.

An all-white cake has been designed by the Mayfair Caterers. The wooden stand pillars and model of Osterley Park on top of the two tiers are all iced in white.

Practical Gifts

Lady Ann is one of the practical modern brides who has asked her friends to give her presents for her future home.

When they return from their honeymoon abroad Mr. Elliot and his bride will settle into the house which they have taken in Southwick Street, and Lady Ann will start to arrange the furniture she has been given.

Her grandmother has given her household linen. Lord and Lady Leigh, her great uncle and great

SUMMER CHARM

Miss Josephine Hutchinson wears a flattering wide-brimmed leghorn hat atop a jumper frock of black frilled crepe with a dainty lingerie blouse.

aunt, have given her a dinner service, and Lady Cynthia Colville's present is a flowered lustre bowl.

From her fiance Lady Ann has received long earrings composed of sapphires—her favourite stones—and diamonds, which will match her engagement ring.

Lady Cynthia Slessor has given her daughter a dressing case and a diamond and sapphire ring, and Mrs. Elliot's present is a brooch set with diamonds, saphires and pearls, which can be made into two clips.

Cool-Looking Decorations

Dances, parties and balls made last night exceptionally gay even in this season of Monday night entertaining.

Over 200 guests went to Lady Hadfield's house in Carlton House Terrace last night to a musical party.

A canopy had been built out over the balcony for the occasion. Inside the house great groups of white summer flowers and greenery made a cool-looking scheme on the warm night. There were four of these in the drawing room on the first floor, where the concert was given.

Among the guests were many members of the Diplomatic Corps and their wives.

Open-Air Entertaining

A bank of young married women have set themselves—in this age of outdoor pursuits—to bring back the open-air social life of a hundred years ago.

Lady Gloria Fisher, Lady Ratendone, Mrs. Roland Robinson, Lady Grenfell and Mrs. Mark Pilkington are among those who have interested themselves in an inquiry as to possible centres of open-air entertaining in modern London.

Parties in the squares are not practicable. The inquiry has revealed this. Two difficulties in the way are the fact that the consent of residents would have to be obtained and large kitchens built for the occasion.

Zoo As Best Choice

Hostesses are agreed that a good supper is essential to the success of the modern evening party.

This group of "young marrieds" have decided that the Zoo is the best choice of a centre for the revival of open-air entertaining. They will meet to-day at Lady Gloria Fisher's new house in Eaton-place to discuss the Zoo Ball on July 6.

Coloured floodlighting, moonlight effects and animal "side-shows" by night-loving creatures, including the chimphanzees and elephants, will add interest to this ball.

A Week of Dances

Ascot week of the Coronation season is to create a new record for dances.

The week opens with three débutante dances and the "Guests of the Empire" ball, all planned for next

MODERNISTIC FLOWERS

decorate this formal gown in white waffle pique worn by Miss Myrna Loy. Red grosgrain ribbon edges the puffed sleeves and is repeated on the square neckline. The full sweeping skirt adds an additional note of formality.

Monday. Lady Hambleden, Lady Bective and Mrs. Farquharson of Invercauld are among hostesses bringing large parties on June 14 to Claridge's, where Coronation visitors will dance at the "Guests of the Empire" ball. They will also watch dancing by members of the caste of Balalaika during the cabaret.

A "flying squad" of junior committee members, organized by Miss Marjorie Clarke, niece of Lady Bective, will take prizes and gifts for the side-shows down to the ballroom on the day of the dance.

How to Eat A Mango

Mangoes from Bombay and also from Jamaica are one of the fruit offers of the moment. There are still many people who do not know how to treat this tropical fruit properly, and others who refrain from enjoying it because they recall the old Anglo-Indian joke that the best place to eat a mango is in the bath. For their information I give the following expert directions: Slice off each cheek, as fat as possible, leaving the centre or stone section alone. Eat with a teaspoon, and later you can tackle the centre section with your fingers if you feel so inclined, and have a finger bowl handy.

For parties mangoes may be sliced or cut into salads with cream. Indians say you should drink milk with them, but doctors believe that the old association of mangoes with boils in India is merely due to the fact both arrive at the same time of the year.

Finally, don't eat any mango tasting "turpentiney" or overripe fruit. Ice before eating if possible.

Copper Coloured Gown

A Copper-Coloured wedding gown will be worn by a July bride. Miss Elizabeth Coates, daughter of Sir Clive and Lady Celia Coates, who is marrying Mr. William Harris at Southwark Cathedral on July 15, has chosen for her bridal gown moiré shot with gold. The fabric gives out a coppery light, and the dress has an unusual apron train, separate from the skirt, and is joined on at the back of the waist under a belt of the material. The train extends for about 2½ yards on the ground. Over this will fall her veil of tulle tinted to the same colour.

At Argyll House

Apricot will be worn by Miss Coates's attendants; this, indeed, is the only colour which goes with her wedding gown. She is having a retinue of 12—six grownup bridesmaids, and three little girls and little boys who will walk up the aisle hand in hand.

Miss Audrey and Miss Rhoda Harris, the bridegroom's sisters, Miss Leonora Baring, Miss Cecilia Waring, Miss Diana Renshaw, and the Hon Margaret Lane-Fox will wear full skirted dresses with shirred bodices

Shirred apricot organdie dresses will be worn by the little girls, and ottoman silk trousers and organdi shirts by the pages. Miss Coates's niece and nephew, Belinda Jane and Aidan Cuthbert, the Hon. Pelline Acton, Sally Colville, the Hon. Raymond O'Neill and Simon Enthoven are the child attendants.

Lady Crewe is lending her new house, Argyll House, in King's Road, Chelsea, for the wedding reception. Lord Crewe is Miss Coates's grandfather. This charming old house, with its lovely little garden, will make an ideal setting for the occasion.

The Garter Ceremony

Two pages will carry the train of the dark blue velvet mantle to be worn by Queen Elizabeth at St George's Chapel, Windsor, on June 14, when the King holds a Chapter of the Most Noble Order of the Garter.

The mantle of Queen Mary—the only other Lady of the Garter—will also be carried by two pages.

The Queens, like the King, wear the mantle of a sovereign.

Queen Elizabeth's mantle was only completed a short time ago. It will be the first occasion on which she has worn it.

Queen Mary will walk in front of the King in the procession. The King and Queen will come last, walking side by side.

The Queens will have wide black Garter hats with plumes of ostrich and heron feathers.

A Memorable Party

Although the Derby night party at Londonderry House was such a notable function, Lady Londonderry achieved her aim of keeping it a small and in many ways informal affair.

Several of the Queen's friends had been invited. The dinner party was held in the spacious ground-floor dining-room. A number of the wives of Jockey Club members were also among Lady Londonderry's guests.

After dining at Buckingham Palace at the King's party for the Jockey Club members, Lord Londonderry returned to his Park-lane home in time

BRIDE'S "TOP KNOT"

A net veil gathered in a knot at the top of the head was strikingly worn by Miss Ann Watson-Hughes on the occasion of her marriage to Mr. Anthony Norman in London recently.

for the later part of the programme Dancing and a delightful musical programme contributed to a very pleasant and memorable evening.

Silver Birch

Summer fields and copses are being reproduced as decoration schemes for Mayfair ceremonies and functions.

Silver birches formed woodland groups in a West End ballroom last night at the débutante dance given by Mrs. Edward Compton, Mrs. Crocker Bulteel and Mr. George Drummond.

Cornfield Decorations

The unwanted gardens of country estates that are being broken up are supplying florists with new ideas for June dances.

Flaming azealea mollis, usually unobtainable in quantities, was gathered in masses from one of these gardens for last night's ball. It was arranged to look as if growing.

A cornfield is being reproduced in a West End church for the marriage to-morrow of Mr. George Holden and Miss Betty Shaw.

Tall grasses are being mingled with scarlet poppies and cornflowers at All Souls', Langham Place.

The bridesmaids are carrying field sheaves, composed of this harvest of the cornfields.

Baby Princess's Cradle Song

Princess Alexandra, daughter of the Duke and Duchess of Kent, now has her own cradle-song. It was performed yesterday at a recital given before members of the Royal Family by the composer, Votichenko.

The Duchess of Kent has accepted the lullaby on behalf of her baby daughter.

Little Princess Alexandra is a delightful baby. Everyone who meets

TAILORED IN IVORY

Lapels have become almost totally eclipsed this season as is shown by this ivory white wool tailored suit. Quadruple stitching goes all around the edge of the jacket, which is belted in skipper blue kid. The shoulders are padded and tucked.

her is charmed by her smile and by her beautifully shaped hands, with long, delicate fingers.

Bright Colours

Royal Blue, that bright colour which is even stronger in blue than either sapphire or "marine," was worn by several guests at the marriage of Lord Carew and Lady Sylvia Maitland in St. Margaret's, Westminster, yesterday.

Lady Landerdale wore it in chiffon and crepe, with a large flat straw hat in the same colour, the loosely draped coat trimmed with smoke-grey fox. Lady Carew wore it in a slightly darker shade, with a bouquet of lilies of the valley.

Princess Vigo of Denmark, who mingled with the many guests entering the north door at the same time, was in black with a bright blue sac coat and blue hat.

Lady Sylvia's wedding dress in gold brocade was in a design of Scottish thistles, with their full feathery flowers and long graceful thin leaves.

Hand in hand, the twin pages walked up the aisle in front of the six little girls in white and gold organdie, the boys glancing down now and then with pride at their miniature swords, worn with the scarlet jackets of the 19th century uniforms.

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This institution, founded just twenty months ago with the idea of helping those Russian women and girls who either come to Shanghai, having no friends, no job and no money, or are getting so little that they can hardly make both ends meet, has proved a real haven of salvation for them. By the possibilities it offers they are saved from making debts, which would sooner or later create for them an intolerable financial position and also from the ever-present danger of taking "the easiest way", which is especially serious in Shanghai.

On the other hand the Hostel ensures, for many women and girls without specialty or profession, comfortable existence during the difficult period when they are acquiring some useful knowledge, enabling them to earn their living in future. The close contact established between the Hostel and the Ecole Professionelle Francaise proves very useful in this respect, as the inmates of the Hostel are entitled to scholarships, being second only to the former students of the Ecole Remi.

Good Health, Morals

The Russian Women's Hostel is established for women of good health and morals, as well as of unimpaired working ability. The candidates must present a medical certificate and references from organizations or well-known citizens. These measures enable the management to make a certain selection, made necessary by th limited number of vacancies and by the wish to maintain the standard of the Hostel as high as possible.

As all of the inmates are able to work for their living, they are satisfied to get only temporary shelter at the Hostel, leaving it as soon as they obtain good jobs. In this way the Hostel administration is able to give assistance to a greater number of women.

Those among them who have some kind of employment, pay a nominal price for their lodging and board, this price being varied in accordance with their earnings.

Naturally, the money received from the girls themselves would cover only a small part of the expenses which are necessary for the maintenance of the Hostel and its very existence would be impossible, if it had not been for the generous financial help received from Sir Victor Sassoon, the Caisse des Oeuvres and other sources. During the current year the Hostel has received Sh$1,500 from Sir Victor Sassoon, Sh$1.000 from the Caisse des Oeuvres and Sh$600 from the Nansen Committee. It is also important to mention that the French Catholic Mission is leasing a spacious house to the Hostel on specially favourable terms.

Other Aid

In its organization period the Committee received donations of all kinds from members of various communities, these gifts ranging from complete sets of furniture to books and magazines. These manifestations of sympathy and generosity have been of great importance in helping the development of the Hostel.

At present, too, the work done by the Hostel finds many sympathizers who are ready to help the Committee in some way. Especially valuable is the free medical help given by Dr. J. Rabaute, Health Inspector of the French Municipal Council, and Dr. A. Civray.

The Hostel is managed by an energetic Committee, headed by Mme Marcel Darre, President, appointed to this post by the French Consul General. It consists of Mrs. E. L. Unterberger and Mrs. T. P. Homiakoff, Vice-Presidents, Mr. P. R. Guillemont, Treasurer; Mr. H. E. Denny, Honorary Secretary, Mrs. C. E. Tarassoff, Mrs. E. F. Hardman and Mrs. J. W. P. Marsh, members.

Mrs. N. H. Veiss is holding the post of matron, ever since the Hostel was opened.

"Our main ambition is to make the girls feel at home," said Mrs. N. H. Veiss, showing a representative of the press through the bright comfortable rooms with the unmistakable feminine touch lending them charm and distinction. "We do not want the Hostel to convey that drab, official impression, which is the curse of so many charitable institutions.

"At present we have eight boarders and one who is coming here for her meals," Mrs. Veiss went on. "They are all very busy. One of them (a young girl of 16) is giving lessons, four others have permanent jobs, in a drug store, a hairdressing salon, a photographic studio and an office, respectively, one is taking orders for ladies' dresses, and two are studying at the Ecole Professionelle. The salaries of those who are working average about Sh.$25-30 per month, and it is clear that they would not be able to exist with such an income, without making debts.

Lucky in Jobs

"I must say that our inmates are rather lucky in getting jobs," the matron added. "Our records show 104 women and girls who have been here from the beginning, and they are all working now. Many of them are quite satisfied and one is even getting as much as Sh.$100, with all expenses paid. Naturally this is a case of rare luck. Those who were out of job while they were staying here have also succeeded in securing employment. I was very much touched and gratified, when one of the girls who used to live here and then got a job in another city, sent me of her own free will a small sum of money to cover part of what she considers to be her debt to us. In the matter of employment the Ecole Professionelle is doing a great deal for our girls, who are getting there practical knowledge enabling them to face life without apprehension.

"I sincerely hope that the Hostel which has already proved an institution of vital necessity for the Russian community, will continue its present development," Mrs. Veiss concluded.

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How does this sound for a tasty luncheon dish:

Spicy Beet with Bacon Grill

1 package Lemon Jell-O
1 pint warm water
1 cup diced cooked beets
¾ cup diced apples
¼ cup prepared horse-radish
½ teaspoon scraped onion
1 teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon caraway seed
1 tablespoon vinegar

Dissolve Jell-O in warm water. Chill until slightly thickened. Combine remaining ingredients and fold at once into slightly thickened Jell-O. Turn into individual moulds. Chill until firm. Makes 8 moulds.

Prepare luncheon plate of broiled bacon, toast points, and a Jell-O mould, unmoulded on crisp lettuce.

Or, if it's a light supper you have in mind, serve:

Sunny Orange Supper Plate

1 package Orange Jell-O
1 cup warm water
1 cup orange juice and water
2 oranges, sections free from membrane and diced
1 cup diced celery, salted
¼ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vinegar
Dash of tabasco

Dissolve Jell-O in warm water. Add orange juice and water. Chill. Combine oranges, celery, salt, vinegar, and tabasco; fold at once into slightly thickened Jell-O. Turn into individual moulds. Chill until firm. Makes 8 moulds.

Prepare supper plate of thin slices of cold roast duck, turkey, pork, or boiled tongue, bran muffins, and a Jell-O mould, unmoulded on crisp lettuce or water cress.

You'll find either of these colourful, delicious dishes takes the place of heavier, heartier meals on warm days—and don't forget that they're easy and economical to prepare, too.

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¼ cup vinegar
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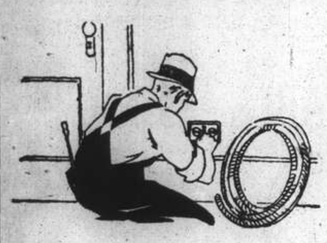

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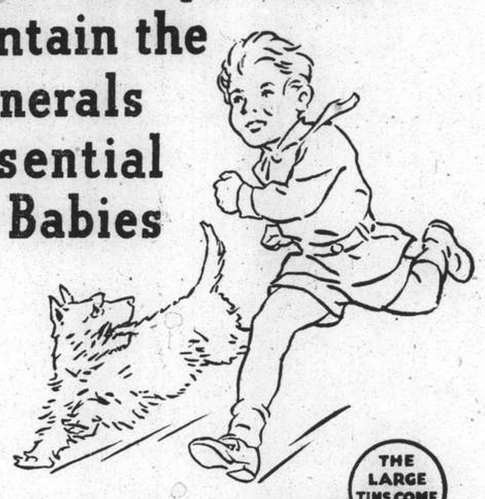

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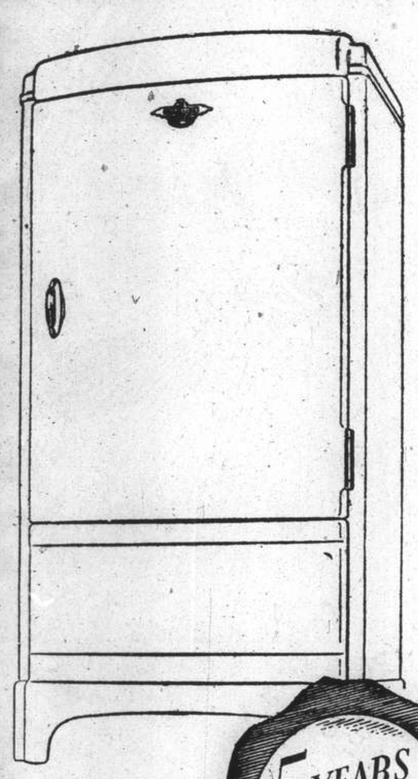

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DEATH

SOTOV.—On Wednesday, June 30, 1937, at the Shanghai General Hospital, ANDREI IVANOVICH SOTOV, aged 38 years, the general manager of the Tass News Agency. A Civic Memorial Service will be held to-day, Thursday, July 1, in the Chapel of the International Funeral Directors, 207 Kiaochow Road. 8064

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SEVENTY YEARS

Canada's celebration of Dominion Day this year marks the seventieth anniversary of the passing of "The British North America Act" which on July 1, 1867 brought the senior Dominion of the British Empire into existence. Over a hundred years before then, Canada, by the Peace of Paris 1763, passed into the British company. The partnership has had its vicissitudes, its triumphs and disappointments; it has held firm and with very real pride and affection do the Mother Country and the Sister Dominions congratulate the eldest of the family to-day. Canada, no less than her fellows in the British Commonwealth, has an individuality of her own. She is by no means expected to view all world problems within her immediate notice entirely through the eyes of London. Fortunately that freedom of thought is amply provided for in the loose-knit Constitution of the Empire. As was abundantly proved during the discussions which led to his present Majesty's Accession—discussions for which Canada was better primed, perhaps, than any other Dominion—this right to differ merely strengthens the solidarity of agreement on fundamental issues.

Leaving out of account India whose Dominion status, although on the anvil, is not yet completely forged, Canada has a more complex racial composition than any other member of the Commonwealth. When, in 1763, 60,000 French settlers in New France came under the British flag it was expected that they would eventually be merged in the nationality newly assumed by them. To-day, of Canada's 11 millions, no less than 3,000,000, 75 per cent. of whom live in the Province of Quebec, are French-speaking descendants of the sturdy inhabitants of the former French colonies. Secured in the exercise of their own religion, their own language, they still have in Quebec a civil code derived from the pre-revolutionary *Coutume de Paris*. Not for nothing, in the process of transfer from French to British rule, did the voyageurs give a new meaning to the old chanson:

A la claire fontaine
M'en allant promener
J'ai trouvé l'eau si belle
Que je m'y suis baigné
Oui, il y a longtemps que je t'aime
Jamais je ne t'oublierai.

So it has proved. Beside Canadians of French origin, there are 4½ per cent. of German descent—relics in the main of Great Britain's former association with Hanover—and, of the 52 per cent. classified as British in origin, a good proportion do not regard the present United Kingdom as their Mother Country in the strict sense of the term, their antecedents making them look rather to the United States of America or the South of Ireland. Proud as they may be of their British citizenship these Canadians are conscious and no less proud of their different national background.

Canadian nationalism—a plant of steady if slow growth—has therefore peculiar characteristics which cannot be appreciated unless these racial origins are taken into account. The oldest, largest and most populous Dominion has, in fact, in its own ability to govern itself a confidence derived from long-standing traditions of cultural, political and strategic independence. It furnishes an almost paradoxical portent in the closeness of Canadian friendship with the "good neighbour" across the long southern, arbitrarily delimitated and undefended border—to the significance of which Dr. Alfred Sze has just paid a notable tribute—for those relations are fully compatible with a strong fidelity to the ties of the British Commonwealth. The beneficent rôle played by Canada in maintaining Anglo-American understanding has been vividly illustrated during the past year by the cordial interchange of visits between the President of the United States of America and the brilliant statesman and author, Lord Tweedsmuir, who represents King George VI at Ottawa. Canada's accepted right to develop her own policy has therefore a special importance in British imperial philosophy. It raises issues of some complexity, for it is inevitable that in a world which at the moment is wont to take its metaphysical controversies seriously, the Canadian view may differ even more sharply than that of any other Dominion from the trends discernible in British thought. This is not necessarily inimical to the interests of the Commonwealth as a whole for it helps to ensure the tolerance and breadth of vision on which, in the last resort, the cohesion of that Commonwealth must rest. Yet it would be unfair both to Canada and to the Empire as a whole if the resultant difficulties were underestimated or glossed over. Fortunately statesmanship on both sides of the Atlantic has shown itself alert in sensing the dangers of such a situation and—what is equally as important—in turning to good account the opportunities thus given for broadening the conceptions of British policy. As an influence for peace, for mitigating the evils of economic nationalism, Canada has pulled her full weight. On this her day it is appropriate to salute that imperial service and to wish well to the vigorous and progressive people whose genius has rendered it.

FINE WORK IN THE AIR

The latest development in the air communications of China reflects the greatest credit on the organization of the Eurasia Company and the skill of its young pilots. The inauguratory flight from Peiping to Hongkong, with its connecting service from Shanghai to Hankow was carried out without a hitch. The smoothness of the arrangements can be gauged from the ease with which it was effected in a last-minute variation in the programme whereby the Shanghai plane made the connection at Hankow instead of at Chengchow. The achievements of the Eurasia pilots in China have in some degree received less attention than they have deserved, partly because the appearance of that admirable service in the China field came at a time when the pioneering activities of the China National Aviation Corporation had so well accustomed the public to air transport. It is all the more fitting, therefore, that special congratulations should be tendered to the participants in this Peiping-Hongkong enterprise which brings the North of China into direct air contact, not only with Canton but, through Hongkong, with the world's main routes to Europe, America and Australia. The names of Leiding, Sasse and Harald Herzog will be permanently associated with a workmanlike and courageous advance in oriental aviation.

A GALLANT RESISTANCE

The New Zealand batsmen proved once again that the three-day cricket match can produce as exciting and satisfying a struggle as the greediest glutton can desire. R. W. V. Robins' brilliant captaincy nearly forced a win for the England side and it was terribly bad luck that the fatal missed catch which probably cost the match should have to be debited to his account. That does not detract from the merits of the New Zealand resistance. J. L. Kerr's feat in carrying out his bat while his comrades went down before the English bowlers had a value altogether in excess of the actual number of runs which he made. The general impression of the play from the point of view of the English partisan is not particularly satisfactory. Soundness rather than brilliance seems to characterise the bowling and batting of the home side. The attack, especially in the second innings of the tourists, appears to have lacked that sting which might have unsettled the stolidity of the defenders. In short, England will have to develop match-winning qualities in bowling before full advantage can be taken of the manifest excellence of the captaincy and fielding of the side.

NEW AIRWAYS CHIEF

Sir George Beharrell who succeeds the late Sir Eric Geddes as Chairman of the Imperial Airways was Sir Eric's right-hand man for many years and is therefore well-fitted for the post. As Managing Director of the Dunlop Rubber Company and Director of the Imperial Airways he has been associated with the development of Imperial Airways for some time past. A Leeds University man he was first brought into contact with Sir Eric Geddes when the latter was General Manager of the North Eastern Railway, Mr. Beharrell, as he was then, being assistant. When the Government called upon Sir Eric to take over the railway transport during the War he naturally took with him his tried lieutenant. Later to the Geddes Retrenchment Committee Sir George Beharrell was attached—he was knighted in 1919—and he made his mark too as Director-General of Statistics in the Ministry of Transport. Sir George was President of the Federation of British Industries from 1932 to 1933 and President of the Institution of the Rubber Industry from 1934 to 1936. A Yorkshireman by birth and descent on both sides of the family, Sir George now lives at Walton-on-the-Hill. No doubt that is more convenient for his important business activities, but candour impels the admission that against the word "recreation" in the usual book of reference the magic—and revealing—word "golf" is entered.

CHRISTIE OF MANCHURIA

To the life and work of Dugald Christie who died last December, his college at Mukden is the permanent memorial. In the annual report of the College for 1936 eloquent tribute is paid to the remarkable services which he rendered to humanity and to the Christian Church in Manchuria and it is announced that a Memorial Fund has been opened in Edinburgh to cover the payment of the salaries of four new European doctors to be sent out to Mukden to remedy recent losses in personnel. The appeal is to be kept open for eighteen months from April last and the Fund will be administered by the Board of Management at Mukden. The money required is that which will give an additional annual income of £1,600 for the four doctors' salaries and also provide for ten years' endowment of a Chair at the College. The report records several instances of appreciation of the services which during his forty years in Manchuria Dr. Christie rendered to the people among whom he lived. An exceptionally striking tribute came from a Japanese scholar of Mukden who, regretting his lack of opportunity to thank Dr. Christie in his lifetime, bore testimony to the respect which he felt for the great missionary, whose work he described as "an uphill fight in order to build a paradise on the Earth."

ISLAND CONFIDENCES

Conflicting opinions on the efficacy of President Franklin Roosevelt's "Island Parleys" appear to be entertained. The mere fact that he felt impelled to take an unusual course to deal with the restiveness of his supporters in Congress may be taken to indicate the seriousness of the "revolt." On that point Edison Blair in "Barron's Weekly" made some pertinent comments early last month. After discounting much of the talk of "rebellion" as in tune with the prevailing habits of Washington journalists for the last four years, Mr. Blair was moved to discern something like reality in an upheaval which for the first time seemed to suggest a loss of the Rooseveltian "magic touch". The outcry over the proposed increase of the membership of the Supreme Court was expected but the significant development was, in Mr. Blair's opinion, the difficulty experienced by the President in pushing his relief bill through Congress. The revulsion against the Supreme Court proposal has, according to Mr. Blair, been stimulated by two factors:

> the adroitness of Chief Justice Hughes and, believe it or not, the maladroitness of the President in his handling of tender Congressional sensibilities. The greatest political Quarterback of all time was sound asleep when the moment came to call the "victory" signal—after Hughes had liberalized the Court for him in the Wagner case decisions. And the greatest legislative compromiser of his generation forgot to compromise when, by doing so, he could have won his objective with scarcely a ripple.

The question now is whether the "Island Parleys" have extricated the President from this predicament.

A WIMBLEDON SURPRISE

Dorothy Round may not succeed in her ambition to terminate spinsterhood by regaining the Women's Championship at Wimbledon, but at least she has the satisfaction of bringing off the first big surprise in the tournament by vanquishing the indomitable Helen Jacobs whose success in 1936 was so richly deserved after many gallant bids for premier honours. As Alice Marble now stands above the Wimbledon holder in their own country, Miss Round will not make the mistake of imagining that if she defeats Mme Mathieu—a player of no mean calibre—her title to the championship is thereby as good as settled. Indeed, judging from the run of the play both singles should eventually rest in American hands: Miss Marble has hardly made a mistake, Donald Budge has not made one at all. As for H. W. Austin, until the issue between him and Gottfried von Cramm has been determined it is useless to speculate on his chances against Budge. Generally it may be said that English expectations have been modest, so that Miss Round's progress and Austin's apparently consistent brilliance have been pleasant gifts of fortune. The form of other Englishwomen has been as erratic as ever. Old-timers will sigh for the emergence of a true successor to Miss D. K. Douglass (Mrs. Lambert Chambers) who seldom let her backers down. For the guidance of those who believe that youth must be served the ages of the semi-finalists might be considered. Austin is 31 next month, von Cramm is 28 next week. Budge is only 21, Frank Andrew Parker of Milwaukee is only 19. Of the women, Miss Round is 28 on July 13, Mme Mathieu is 29, Miss Marble is 24, Mlle Jedrzejowska, who has surely risked the grave displeasure of hundreds of young Englishwomen by eliminating their adored Chilean heroine, the 22-year old Anita Lizana, is Poland's No. 1, does not disclose her age but is understood to be a contemporary of Mme Mathieu.

DISCREET FRANKNESS

Characteristically the British Government has recognized the pressure of public opinion on the operations of the Equalization Fund and has endeavoured with a discreet frankness to temper the oyster-like reticence which the responsible banker cultivates when carrying out delicate monetary manœuvres such as are involved in the Exchange Equalization Account. The concession has obviously been necessary because the Government has invoked the authority of the House of Commons to increase the Fund from £350 millions to £550 millions. In reviewing the history of the Fund, Sir John Simon was able to show that it had been successful in promoting steadiness and checking speculative adventures after the restraining influence of the gold standard had been removed. The decision to disclose the amount of gold held in the Fund at a given date avoids the danger of supplying the currency speculator with a heaven-sent opportunity, for it makes the six-monthly announcements relate to periods three months in arrear. Thus on June 30 the amount of gold held on March 31 is revealed. On December 31, presumably, the figures for September 30 will be given. Sir John was able to make the reassuring disclosure that on March 31 the Account held but a trifling amount of foreign currency. Free from the dangers of unexpected fluctuations, the Fund is thus in a healthy state; the soundness of sterling has been well maintained. The House's reaction to this frankness shows that, so long as recognized precautions to outwit the speculator are taken, the sponsors of a managed currency have everything to gain by putting as many of their cards on the table as is consistent with efficiency and banking propriety. The chief asset on which successful currency management relies is public confidence and that develops naturally from command of information to which the public may legitimately feel it has the right to lay claim.

THE WEATHER

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Same date, 1936	Min. 80.0 Max. 88.5

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Cookery

NEWLY-WED Husband—"Do you mean to say there's only one course for dinner to-night? Just cheese?"

Wife—"Yes, dear. You see, when the chops caught fire and fell into the sweets I had to use the soup to put it out."

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Ample Proof

COUNSEL—to the police witness: "But if a man is on his hands and knees in the middle of the road, that doesn't prove he was drunk!"

Policeman: "No sir, it does not. But this one was trying to roll up the white line."

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So Sudden

HE was telling her about the members of the football team.

"Now,' there's Johnson," said he, "in a few weeks he will be our best man."

And then she lisped, "Oh, Jack, this is so sudden!"

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Rest Cure

DOCTOR—"What your husband needs, Mrs. Nagget, is a complete rest. I have prescribed a sleeping draught."

Mrs. N.—"Very well, doctor, when shall I gave it to him?"

Doctor—"Don't give it to him at all. Take it yourself."

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Ad Infinitum

CLOTHIER: "Were you pleased with the overcoat I sold you?"

Customer: "Oh, yes. All my boys have worn it."

Clothier: "Well, well!"

Customer: "Yes: each time it has been worn in the rain the next smaller one had to take it."

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Warning

A POULTRY farmer had been losing chickens from his chicken-coops. He inserted the following advertisement in the local newspaper:—

"Anyone found near my chicken-house at night will be found there next morning."

No more chickens have been missed.

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Hey! That Man's In Again!

"I'd hate to part with this colt now, You see, I haven't any children and—"

"How can you compare a colt with children! Children can go to college, carve out careers for themselves, but a colt—a horse could never become President."

"No, not a President. But a friend of mine had a colt once that grew up to be a mare."

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Never Satisfied

THE street performer was addressing the crowd. "Ladies an' gents—in a few minutes," he said, "I will astonish you by eatin' coal, stones an' nails. I will also swallow a long sword. After which I shall come round among you with the hat, trustin' to get enough for a crust of bread."

"Lumme!" cried a voice from the back. "Still 'ungry!"

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As per Schedule

A SALESMAN who had been travelling on a certain railway for a number of years was complaining about the trains always being late, when, to his surprise, the train came in on time.

He immediately went to the conductor and said, "Here's a cigar, I want to congratulate you. I have travelled this road for fifteen years and this is the first time I have caught a train on time."

"Keep the cigar," said the conductor, "this is yesterday's train."

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Cause for Fear

THE old signalman was the most important witness at an action for damages—a man had been knocked down at a level crossing.

At the cross-examination he persisted that he waved his lantern frantically, but in vain.

"You were excellent," said the superintendent, patting him on the back afterwards. "I was afraid you might break down."

"No fear," was the proud reply, "but I was a little nervous. I thought that bloke was going to ask me if the lantern was lighted."

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By Weight

A NEW restaurant opened its doors with this announcement:— "Value here! We charge you by weight! We weigh you coming in, then we weigh you going out! You pay the difference!"

A fellow in a shabby overcoat secreted a heavy stone in one of his pockets, and had the biggest meal of his life. Then he quietly slipped the stone out of sight, and stepped on the scales again.

The proprietor stared in dismay at the indicator, donned his spectacles to make sure, then groused, "Well, I suppose it can't be helped, mister, but it seems I owe you fivepence."

Sixty Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS," OF JULY 1, 1877

From Newchwang:—On the 6th of the 5th moon June 16, the new native tax came into force. On all imports the fee which was charged was 3½ mace per Tls. 100. It is now to be 7 mace per Tls. 100 (double) on arrivals per junks and foreign vessels. Shipments per foreign vessels, which were not taxed before, are now to pay 4 mace (four mace) per Tls. 100. The troops, which the Taotai says are wanted by the Tartar General, have not arrived yet, and the extra impost is required to pay towards their maintenance. It is possible that more force is necessary to put down brigandage; but I should not be surprised if the near approach of the Russians whose quarters are unpleasantly near to the Empire—some say they are actually on Chinese territory, were the *bête noire* to be put down, as much as the sword racks or mounted highwaymen.

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The Tokyo "Times" reports the arrival at Yokohama of Mr. Cadweller, former Assistant Secretary of State at Washington. It is stated he is shortly expected in Shanghai.

By SAPAJOU

PULL DEVIL, PULL BAKER

London Letter

HIGH RATES FOR ELECTRICITY

Shanghai Charges Negligible Compared to English: Blunders of Commission

BY O. M. GREEN

(Editor, "North-China Daily News," 1911-1930)

London, June 9.

Old residents of Shanghai on retiring to England have at least one memory (which is not to say they may not have others) for which they sigh. That is Shanghai's electricity supply.

There is no public service in England so ill co-ordinated and in many districts so grossly overcharged as electricity. In the International Settlement our electric light bills were negligible; even in the French Concession, they were nothing to worry about. Here in our village 20 miles from Hyde Park Corner, and served from a considerable river-side town which boasts at least two flourishing industries, we are charged 6½d. a unit, and only get a 100-volt-service (which is simply ante-diluvian) and indifferent at that. There is also a strong report that our company manufactures no electricity itself but buys it from Chiswick at 3d. a unit and merely converts it to our voltage.

Yet we are perhaps fortunate. There are far bigger places than ours, nearer London, where as much as 8d. is charged.

For years an agitation has been going on to get better treatment for consumers, lower charges and more uniformity in them. A Commission was set up not long ago presided over by Lord McGowan, which recommended a series of amalgamations and groupings of suppliers and rates to be charged. Unfortunately this Commission was against anything savouring of State management, which caused our bureaucrats to throw its report on the dust heap.

Commission's Report Denounced

Now the bureaucrats have produced a scheme. There has been a row because it was communicated to the "juice" suppliers before it had been made known to Parliament. But with actual publication of the document there is a still bigger row.

The Electricity Commissioners appear to have taken the framework of the McGowan scheme, but have concentrated all power in their own hands, throwing upon the suppliers the responsibility of management, but denying them freedom of action in every detail.

Most papers I have seen have damned these proposals wholeheartedly and according to the "Financial News" the reception has been so bad that the Government has decided to disown paternity. The scheme, it is said, must be received as merely tentative. Which presumably means that it will follow its predecessor to the dust heap.

Electricity is but one instance of the many problems that arise to-day from trying to fit local bodies into a national framework and make them think and act on national lines, instead of in the watertight compartments which suited our fathers, who scarcely moved from their home towns once a year and thought in "small-town" grooves.

There are in Great Britain 628 authorized distributors of electricity, of which 371 are municipal and 247 private companies. To co-ordinate such a hotchpotch is obviously difficult. All the same one would like to know why Worthing, for example, non-industrial and virtually dead for eight months in the year, can sell electric light for a penny a unit, and a huge London suburb must charge fivepence or sevenpence.

Pacific Pact Perplexities

Mr. Lyons, the Australian Premier's proposal for a Pacific Pact is causing much perplexity in what may be called the inner and near-inner circles. Exactly what it would imply is not yet known, but in some quarters one hears that "things are moving towards a satisfactory outcome." This, however, may be the wish that is parent to the thought.

There are two schools of thought on the subject. First there are the usual "internationally-minded" who in defiance of bitter experience continue to pin their faith on conferences of the greatest possible number of peoples to achieve salvation.

The Chinese appear to be of this party, in the hope that by bringing in Russia and America they would have a stronger guarantee against Japan.

On the other hand are those who recall that the last attempt at a Pacific Pact, namely the Nine Power Treaty, is deader than mutton, and that the whole record of international conferences and pacts is one of disappointed hopes. Furthermore, that a Pacific Conference under present conditions must involve so great a number of stiff questions, that the utmost that could be hoped of it would be general aspirations and resolutions riddled with loop-holes.

These people urge that Japan (who notoriously distrusts international conferences) is unquestionably eager for an entente with Great Britain, and, for the most part, equally anxious to come to a settlement on amicable lines with China. There are, however, issues between China and Japan which it seems as if they never could settle unaided.

Hence the argument that Great Britain might combine her own interest in China's welfare, with Japan's readiness for a rapprochement, in order to act in some sort as mediator between China and Japan, to ensure the rights of the former and to arrange for herself an understanding with the latter.

The people who argue thus also point out with undoubted force, that Japan on the whole is now in the right mind to come out of her isolation, be neighbourly and make friendly bargains. Of which she has given many signs, official and unofficial. If the psychological moment is lost and no response is made to her olive-branches, her pride may be wounded and she may be driven into the wilderness with incalculably serious results.

Labour's Left Wing Rebels

The vigorous efforts of the official Labour Party Executive to crush their left-wing rebels are a significant phase of the political whirlpool.

Last Saturday a meeting of the left-wingers—the Independent Labour Party and Communists—was held at Hull presided over, of course, by Sir Stafford Cripps. Mr. Strauss, M.P., our millionaire Bolshevik, received a letter from the Labour Executive, (which of course applies to lesser lights) that if he associated with I. L. P. and Communists, he would be expelled from the Labour Party.

Last night it was announced that the Executive of the Transport and General Workers' Union had suspended the Central Bus Committee pending an inquiry into its operations. It was this Committee, you will remember, composed of extremists which defied the Transport Union Executive and kept the bus strike dragging on for three fruitless weeks.

Its reply to this pole-axing is not yet known. Its ability to do anything is doubtful: the men won't come out again.

At Hull the meeting furiously denounced the Labour Executive's "new heresy hunt." But all the same it has had to change its tactics. The Socialist League, which tried to form with the I.L.P. and Communists a "united front" on the Continental lines, has bowed before the Labour Executive's displeasure and dissolved itself. The rest of the left-wingers at Hull decided also to dissolve their joint committee, so that their members might work within the Labour Party by the usual cell methods to achieve their ends.

Communists Gain Prominence

The motives of the Labour Executive are fairly obvious. Their present chances of getting back into power are still as remote as ever, and are certainly not improved by Sir Stafford Cripps's well-advertised speeches, by the prominence which the Communists have been gaining under Comrade Harry Pollitt's leadership, and last but by no means least by the offensive and unnecessary bus strike.

Extremism it is abundantly clear never pays in England, and every indication that the Red Tail is wagging the Corduroy Dog would eagerly be caught up by the party in power to keep Labour out of power still longer.

So extremism must be suppressed, and under the clever leadership of Mr. Herbert Morrison a campaign is being launched to capture 1,000,000 recruits for Socialism—no doubt from that "silent Liberal vote" which has lately stood aloof from all elections. Masses of literature on Socialist policy are being prepared, and popular meetings are to be held during the summer months at 80 different seaside resorts.

Whether these will prove more popular than sunbathing and side-shows is perhaps doubtful. But Mr. Herbert Morrison is a genius in attack, and his opponents had better take warning.

Heavy Fine for Smuggling

If you're thinking of smuggling a little silk or other contraband into England, think again. At Croydon yesterday Lady Prescott, wife of a baronet, was fined no less than £1,500 (the addition of two guineas cost seems rather a pathos) for trying to smuggle jewellery, hats, a silk night gown and some furs. Their total value was £680. 10s., the duty on them would have been £203. 18s. 4d. And the lady has to pay £1,500 besides cutting an extremely poor figure in Court.

She had arrived at Croydon by aeroplane from Paris on April 26 and declared some silk goods on which she paid £5. 10s. 8d duty. Then the Customs found an empty jewel case in her hatbox: where were the contents? Lady Prescott produced two ruby and diamond dress clips from her bag, and said she had bought them in London and taken them to Paris with her. But she found it "rather difficult to say" where in London she had bought them.

Further search revealed two hats. Yes these had been bought in Paris: Lady Prescott had forgotten to declare them.

A similar forgetfulness applied to a cotton golf costume bought in Berlin. A fur cape hanging on Lady Prescott's arm was excused by her as a gift, which had been worn; and as it was not made of silk she did not think it necessary to declare it. A diamond, gold and silver vanity box was not new; but Lady Prescott had to admit having smuggled it in on a previous journey from France.

The best Lady Prescott's lawyer could say for her was that she had lost her head and told a great many untruths, and that her manner to the Customs officials had been perfectly courteous, not abusive as some detected smugglers become. The magistrates did not become abusive either, but they said a great deal about Lady Prescott's behaviour which one would be very sorry to hear about oneself.

Moral for Travellers

The moral of the story is obvious to all experienced travellers. Open up all trunks and be ready to show everything. Customs officials at Dover and Croydon have a reputation for being harsh, probably they have more cause to be than their colleagues elsewhere. But I have been through Channel ports many times and like others who have adopted the "open door" tactics have found them lenient enough. I can't help thinking that if Lady Prescott had had clean bill in other respects she would have got away with that fur cape, which was a gift, had been worn, and wasn't made of silk.

BLUE MOSQUITOES CAUSE TRANSVAAL PANIC

The appearance of dark blue mosquitoes struck terror in a certain area of northern Transvaal, where a most severe epidemic of malaria was already raging. Local residents feared some new horror until the clerk of a country store, observing something wriggling in an inkwell discovered it to be full of mosquito larvæ, in which apparently they had bred.

Malaria is now raging over a wide area of northern Transvaal, where the majority of natives are laid low by the disease and few Europeans are still able to carry on.

All hospitals within the stricken area are filled to overflowing, including large marquees erected in the grounds; in some cases private houses have been converted into temporary clearing stations.

Railways in these areas are suffering severely owing to the depletion of the European staffs. Farmers are unable to reap their crops, which are rotting in the ground owing to an almost complete absence of native labourers.

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NAVIGATION ON THE AMUR RIVER

Soviet Gunboats Restrain Other Vessels

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

Harbin, June 23.

The old question of navigation on the Amur has again cropped up, owing to no agreement having been reached between the U.S.S.R. and Manchoukuo, and now news has come to hand of an engagement on that river near Pojarkovo, it being alleged that Soviet gunboats fired on the Manchoukuo patrol boats, which were navigating the northern channel on the Soviet side of the river.

Pojarkovo has always been a moot point, as the water in the south channel at this point, is very seldom deep enough to permit of vessels passing.

Those who have travelled up and down the Amur, know very well that at this point, they always used to pass so close to the Russian side, that it was possible to throw a stone on the river bank, vessels of more than three feet draught, not being able to navigate the southern channel.

With no agreement on the subject of navigation, it seems that the Soviet government refuse to permit Manchoukuoan, and more particularly Japanese vessels, to use the northern channel, and naturally, if they do so, they run the risk of being fired at by Soviet gunboats.

The Japanese are angered because they are not allowed to use the northern channel, and thus are unable to send vessels from the Sungari up the Amur to Sakhalen, but considering that the right of way along this channel is indispensable for Manchoukuo, would it not be better to make some concession on the point, rather than deliberately force the passage, thus compelling the Soviet to use force, or else place themselves under the impression of showing weakness, if they were to permit its use by Manchoukuoan and Japanese ships. The firmness of the Soviet side will probably result in the Japanese coming to terms quicker on the matter of navigation of the Amur.

From the eastern frontier news comes in of clashes between the local troops and the Soviet, and in almost all cases, it may safely be said that these clashes occur because the two sides have different views as to where the frontier line actually runs.

Sheep Rearing in Manchoukuo

At present much is being written on the question of sheep rearing in this country, and purchases have been made of sheep, both from Australia and America, for the purpose of improving the breed and getting a better fleece. The main point, however, is that the climate is not suitable, and no matter what breed is brought here, within a year the fleece becomes rougher, to save the animal from the severe winter cold. If the sheep are imported in the spring, it is possible to get a fleece equal to that which they give in their home country, but by the following year, the quality of the wool will be much lower, and there is no way of counteracting this.

From time to time it has been stated that deposits of petroleum had been discovered, particularly in the Hingan Range, but in all cases they proved to be incorrect and after large sums of money had been spent in drilling the schemes were given up. Now a group of Japanese engineers say that they have discovered oil not far from Harbin. Their story is that some peasants stated that they had seen some black oily substance floating on Lake Shisuitsi, about 25 kilometres from here, on the Sungari river. The engineers investigated and report that they discovered oil deposits of two kilometres in length and one kilometre in width. They brought a barrel of the oil to Harbin and are making an analysis of it, and if it proves to be of sufficiently good quality, they propose to form a company and drain the lake.

CHINA'S SKIES FOR JULY

1.—Saturn in conjunction with Moon, 6.53 p.m. S. 7° 47′ S.
4.—Mercury in Perihelion, 1 a.m.
4.—Uranus in conjunction with Moon, 7.40 a.m. U. 3° 17′ S.
5.—Venus in conjunction with Moon, 7.11 a.m. V. 4° 45′ S.
5.—Earth in Aphelion, greatest distance from the Sun, 94,454,300 miles, 11 a.m.
8.—Mercury in conjunction with Moon, 0.27 p.m. M. 4° 5′ N.
8.—Mercury in Superior conjunction with Sun, 7 p.m.
13.—Neptune in conjunction with Moon, 2.12 a.m. N. 6° 47′ N.
15.—Jupiter in opposition with Sun, 4 p.m.
18.—Mars occulted by the Moon, 5.09 a.m.
18.—Saturn at Stationary point, 6 p.m.
23.—Jupiter in conjunction with Moon, 4.59 a.m. J. 3° 34′ S.
29.—Saturn in conjunction with Moon, 0.29 a.m. S. 7° 44′ S.
31.—Uranus in conjunction with Moon, 3.13 p.m. U. 3° 3′ S.

Constellations at 9 p.m.

In the north, Draco and Ursa Minor are above Polaris on the meridian, Ursa Major in west, Cepheus east, and Cassiopeia below to the east. In the east, Pegasus is rising, the Dolphin is now well up, Cygnus almost midway to the meridian, and Lyra is still higher; east of the meridian are Hercules, and Serpentarius; Corona is on the meridian, to the west of which lie Bootes and Canes Venatici Along the Ecliptic—Capricornus is rising, Sagittarius (the Archer) is next, Scorpius is directly south, Libra is past the meridian, Virgo midway, and Leo has almost reached the horizon. The Milky Way crosses the sky from N.N.E. to S.S.W. The Zodiacal Light may be observed in northwest in the first week.

Phases of the Moon

1.—Last Quarter	9.03 p.m.
8.—New Moon	0.13 p.m.
15.—First Quarter	5.36 p.m.
23.—Full Moon	8.46 p.m.
31.—Last Quarter	2.47 a.m.
6.—Moon in Perigee	5 p.m.
18.—Moon in Apogee	6 p.m.

RISING AND SETTING OF THE MOON

	Rises	Souths	Sets
4.—	0.57 a.m.	7.57 a.m.	3.02 p.m.
11.—	8.12 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	9.10 p.m.
18.—	2.48 p.m.	8.04 p.m.	0.36 a.m.
25.—	7.54 p.m.	0.57 a.m.	6.41 a.m.

Rising and Setting of the Sun

Rises	Equat. of time	Sets
4.—5.02	Add 4 min. 2 sec.	7.06
11.—5.05	Add 5 min. 11 sec.	7.05
18.—5.09	Add 5 min. 59 sec.	7.03
25.—5.14	Add 6 min. 21 sec.	7.00

Aspects of Principal Planets

Mercury being in Superior conjunction with the Sun on the 8th, is a morning star in the first week, and an evening star afterwards, but this will not be a favourable opportunity for its naked-eye observation. Rises on 1st at 4.19 a.m.; on 16th it sets at 7.45 p.m.

Venus is a morning star moving in Taurus. In conjunction with the Pleiades on the 4th, with Aldebaran on the 16th. It rises on the 1st at 2.10 a.m.; on the 16th at 2.04 a.m.; on the 31st at 2.07 a.m.

Mars moves now eastward in Libra, and will be seen west of south in the early evening. Magnitude —1.1 to —1.6. Sets on 1st at 1.52 a.m.; on 16th at 0.51 a.m.

Jupiter, being in opposition with the Sun on the 15th is in the south near midnight, and above the horizon, but low down, almost through the night. Magnitude —2.3. Rises on 1st at 8.00 p.m.; passes the meridian on the 16th at 0.05 a.m. and at 12 o'clock.

Saturn is a morning star moving from the constellation Capricornus into Aquarius. It rises about midnight at the end of the month. Its rings are now pretty well visible, the Earth being 5.57 degrees south of their plane. Rises on 1st at 11.42 p.m.; on 16th at 10.44 p.m.

Uranus, moving in the constellation Aries, rises on 1st at 1.27 a.m. on 16th at 0.30 a.m.; on 31st at 11.28 p.m.

Neptune sets before midnight in the constellation Leo, on 1st at 10.53 p.m.; on 16th at 9.55 p.m.

Satellites of Mars

Mars is attended by two moons, discovered by Prof. Asaph Hall in August, 1877 with the great telescope of the Washington Observatory. Their names are Phobos and Deimos (the steeds or attendants of Mars). They are both very small (star magnitude 14 and 13), probably less than 15 miles in diameter, Phobos being somewhat the larger. Phobos revolves about its primary in 7 hours 39 minutes at 5,850 miles distance, and Deimos in 30 hours 18 minutes at a distance of about 14,650 miles, both nearly in the equator of Mars. Mars rotates in its axis in 24 hr. 37 min. 23 sec. Phobos, therefore, occupies the unique position in the solar system of a satellite revolving about its primary in less time than the primary takes to rotate on its axis. It follows that to an hypothetical inhabitant of that planet the moon would seem to rise in the west and set in the east, passing through all the phases of our moon during a single night. This its rapid angular motion enables it to do at least twice a day. Deimos, the outer of the two moons, has an angular movement is its orbit round Mars less than that of Mars on its axis, but so great that this satellite may remain above the horizon of a point on the planet for about two and a half days at a time.

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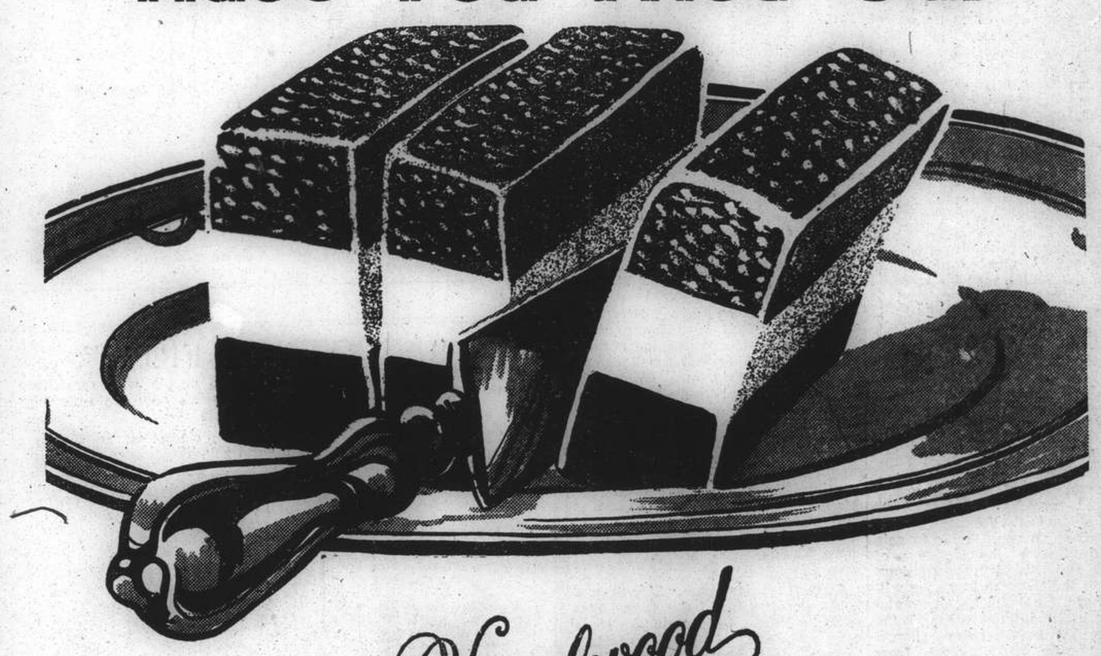

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FROM DAY TO DAY

THERE will be a celebration of the Holy Communion in the Bubbling Well Chapel this morning at 10.30.

MADAME Chiang Kai-shek has contributed $1,000 toward the relief of destitute children in the famine-stricken districts in Szechuen. The sum is now in the hands of the Child Relief Committee in Chengtu.

MISS Pai Yu-hsuan, popularly known as China's Mae West, arrived in Peiping from Tientsin on Tuesday, according to the "Shun Pao," which says that Miss Pai is awaiting the sanction of the local authorities for her appearance on the Peiping stage.

MR. A. Fuerst, of the circulation department of the Cincinnati "Times and Star," passed through Shanghai yesterday in the President Monroe on a holiday trip round the world. Mr. Fuerst proceeds to Europe by way of Hongkong, Manila, Bombay, and Port Said.

JOINT examinations for graduating students in Peiping were concluded on Tuesday. Only 2 per cent. of the total number of students were absent from the tests which passed off without any hitch, thanks partly to the strict police supervision maintained throughout the sittings.

THE April issue of "The 1820," the official publication of the 1820 Memorial Settlers' Association, has been received. As usual, it contains a number of vastly interesting articles on South Africa and matters pertaining to settlers and their problems, as well as other information of a useful nature.

MR. Yang Chao-keng, Director of the Political Affairs Department of the Hopei-Charhar Political Council who has been in Kuling conferring with General Sung Cheh-yuan during the past few days, returned to Tientsin on Tuesday. Mr. Yang will convey General Sung's instructions to General Chang Tzu-chung, the Mayor of Tientsin, and General Chang Yung-jung.

PRESIDENT Manuel L. Quezon of the Philippines was host at dinner on June 28 in honour of Mr. Frank Murphy, Governor of Michigan and former American High Commissioner for the Philippines. The dinner was held at the Hotel Ambassador, New York, and was attended by members of the Philippine delegation which accompanied Sr. Quezon to this country, and their families.

INSCRIBED with the names of their owners, hundreds of paper dolls were thrown in the early hours of this morning into the Whangpoo River on their way to the land of spirits. Yesterday evening, the dolls were blessed by the priests of the Shanghai Shinto Shrine, Kiangwan Road, in the time-honoured purification ceremony. Thus purified and sent to the sea, the dolls are believed to be carrying away with them their owners' evil luck.

THE German Society for the Blind has celebrated its 25th anniversary. The work of the Society, which has 26 branches, may be divided into three different sections: Promotion of cures for the blind, employment and training, and medical care. The Society is responsible for over half the 33,000 German blind, and even those who are able to earn their living as craftsmen or musician are still cared for by the social welfare side of the Society.

THE list of eighty candidates elected here to take part in the forthcoming National People's Congress has been approved by the Head Office of the People's Congress Election Affairs. Among the candidates are Mr. Tu Yueh-sung, Mr. Hsu Chi-ching, Mr. K. P. Chen, Mr. Y. M. Chien, Mr. Hu Si-yuan, Mr. Wang Peh-chi, Mr. Chen Chun-fu, Mr. King Ting-sung, Mr. T. L. Soong, Mr. Tung Ying-pei, Mr. Soo Lien-ping, Mr. Hsu Hsiao-chu, Mr. Tsai Hung-tien and Mr. C. C. Keng.

MR. Ryushu Kawabata, one of Japan's greatest painters, has declined to join the Imperial Academy of Arts, a recently formed body organized on totalitarian lines. The offer of membership was received by Mr. Kawabata immediately on his return from a month's tour of Manchoukuo, where he lectured on the future of painting in Manchoukuo before the Emperor. The Imperial Academy of Arts is the successor to the Imperial Art Academy, which was regarded by the Ministry of Education as a poor exponent of Japanese art. A number of leading painters and sculptors, who were at odds with the old body, refused to join the new organization.

THE Swedish National Union of Students will, this summer, from August 7 to September 5, organize its third holiday course for foreign students, as part of its work for international understanding. The main course will take place at the old university town of Upsala, with additional courses in Stockholm and Lund. By means of lectures, excursions and personal contact with Swedish students the foreign students will be given an opportunity to gain a comprehensive knowledge of Sweden and Swedish conditions. Lessons in the Swedish language will be arranged for both beginners and those with some knowledge of the language, without extra charge. Particulars can be obtained from "S.F.S.'s Holiday Course," Upsala, or from Swedish legations and consulates.

A SPECIAL programme has been arranged the Fourth Marines' Church Service next Sunday in the Cathay Theatre commemorating Independence Day. Judge Milton J. Helmick will deliver the address. Private Armand Bouchard will sing a baritone solo, "Hymn To America" by Gulesian. The band numbers include Prelude, 'Red, White and Blue" by Rollinson and von Bloom's "Whispering Flowers" for the Offertory. The Regimental Band will play special military numbers, including the Overture "Northern Rhapsody" by Hosmer, and a Fantasia "The Return Of The Scouts" by Clement (featuring the Regimental Drum and Trumpet Corps.) The Guest Artist for the Concert is Mr. Sadao Iwai, Xylophonist, who will play "Washington Grays" by Grafulla, and Sousa's "U. S. Field Artillery." The programme concludes with band playing "Semper Fidelis" by Sousa and the American National Anthem.

THE Ching Ming, Chun Ho and the Shanghai City Bank were admitted as members of the Chinese Bankers' Association at a meeting held on Tuesday afternoon.

IN connection with the Reuter telegram published yesterday regarding the new Empire cheap air mail service to South Africa, the fee should be 1½d. for half an ounce not 3½d. as stated.

LIEUTENANT-GENERAL Tachiro, Commander of the Japanese forces in North China, has been ill with appendicitis, says a Chinese despatch from Tientsin. The General's case is understood to be serious.

THE First Special Citizens Federation has issued a notice to its branches, instructing them to notify their members to display the national flags on July 7, the tenth anniversary of the founding of the Shanghai City Government.

THE popular American artistes, Messrs. Piastro (violin) and Schuster (cello), who played with the Municipal Orchestra yesterday evening at the Nanking Theatre, will also be soloists on Saturday night at Jessfield Park, at the opening outdoor concert of the orchestra.

FROM Tuesday, the telegraph office in Kuling has begun to handle news despatches. Hitherto the office was not able to handle news despatches owing to inadequate equipment. On the urgent representations from many newspapers and news agencies, however, the Ministry of Communications recently ordered additional apparatus to be installed to enable the opening of the new service.

THE Italian Consulate-General has received a wire from the Italian Consul in Manila stating that the Chinese Boy Scouts and the Russian and Italian children who left Shanghai on June 25 on board the Conte Rosso to go to the Italian camps of the Balilla Organizations reached Manila on the 29th and that all are in excellent health.

MR. Shigeru Kawagoe, Japanese Ambassador to China who returned on Tuesday to Shanghai from home leave, is expected to arrive in North China by July 15. Following his arrival in Peiping and Tientsin, Mr. Kawagoe is expected to call a conference of Japanese consular officials in various cities in North China to hear their reports and to convey to them his new instructions from the Foreign Office in Tokyo.

MR. Wu Ting-chang, Minister of Industry who returned to Nanking from Shanghai on Tuesday attended the regular meeting of the Executive Yuen during which anti-speculative measures were adopted. Mr. Wu is leaving for Kuling to-day to report to General Chiang Kai-shek, President of the Executive Yuan, on the results of his investigations into the recent upset in the Shanghai cotton yarn exchange.

SIR Shouson Chow, who arrived there last week, will spend his summer in Tsingtao. He has just retired from his post as Councillor in the Hongkong Government, but still remains as Adviser. Sir Chow was one of the first batch of 120 students to America in 1873, very few of whom are now living. He is also at present Adviser to General Chiang Kai-shek and the Canton Provincial Government. He is now seventy-seven years of age, but does not look it. This is his third trip to Tsingtao.

MR. T. V. Soong, a member of the Standing Committee of the National Economic Council and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Bank of China, flew to Kweilin, the Kwangsi provincial capital, on Tuesday morning, states a special despatch to the "Ta Kung Pao" from Hongkong. Mr. Soong, adds the report, was accompanied by General Li Tsung-jen, Pacification Commissioner for Kwangsi and the Messrs. Hwang Chung-yueh and Kan Chieh-hou.

PROSPERITY and an increase in population have earned for Nanchang, the provincial capital of Kiangsi, the status of a municipality. A municipal government for the city, it is reported, will be inaugurated on August 1. Mr. Kung Hsueh-shui, at present a member of the Kiangsi Provincial Government, has already been appointed by the Executive Yuan to be the first Mayor. According to the same report, Mr. Kung has received a telegraphic summons from General Chiang Kai-shek, asking him to proceed to Kuling at once.

WHILE the Rakaia River, New Zealand, was in half flood, horses were being used with drags to remove shingle banked against the intake of an irrigation water-race. Making its way up the discoloured river, a shoal of salmon passed near the intake in such numbers that the horses became frightened by the fish striking their legs and were unmanageable. The driver found it impossible to continue the work, and had to take his horses to the bank until the shoal had passed. After the water was clear of the fish, the horses gave no more trouble.

QUARRELS that arose when dragon boats were racing in the second district in Punyu, Kwangtung, some days ago, have been perpetuated, and village is pitted against village, family against family in the minor "civil war" that has been since raging. Men have been shot down and clubbed to death, and, on June 13, a mob from the village of Namping, where the surname is Kwaan, stormed into Pakping village, where most people bear the surname of Chui, burning half of the houses, and murdering or badly wounding some 30 of the inhabitants. Pakping had been strictly neutral, but the people from Namping were sure it was harbouring the enemy. A committee from Pakping is in Canton to seek redress and protection against further disturbance of the peace. Some of the "enemy" were given shelter, but they were all women and children and very old men who, even under the rules of village warfare, should be treated as non-combatants. The villagers in the second district of Punyu have got so far out of hand that the soldiers have had to stand by and let them do as they please. Ten arrests have been made and a large quantity of unlicensed arms, including machine-guns, have been seized.

THE TRANSMISSION OF NEWS

Like a Series of Rocket Combustions Fired All Over The World: Press Union Conference Talk

The phenomenal progress of electrical science as adapted to the special needs of the press was described by Sir Roderick Jones, Chairman of Reuters, in an address delivered on May 26, on "Transmission of News" at the Annual Conference of the Empire Press Union in London.

After comparing conditions to-day with those of 1920, date of the second Imperial Press Conference, when "wireless for our purposes was still only emerging from the nursery," Sir Roderick observed "during no period in the history of journalism, indeed never in the history of humanity, have science and invention reached farther into the unknown with such dazzling and with such practical effect as during the last two decades."

Dealing first with local or internal news dissemination, says Reuter, Sir Roderick recalled that before the War the main vehicle of local news delivery in Fleet Street was still the messenger boy.

"The basic messenger boy service was assisted by a crude form of telegraph printer, incorporating some of the principles of the grandfather clock. This instrument could tick out 25 words or so a minute. But the high speed teleprinter of to-day is a totally different proposition, working at something between sixty and eighty or ninety words a minute, according to need, or, in the case of the tape printer, one hundred words a minute.

"Consequently the delivery of syndicated news from the agencies or press associations to the newspapers is continuous and, on occasion, almost instantaneous. While Hitler is making a speech in Berlin the newspapers in Fleet Street are simultaneously receiving a full agency report of the speech over their teleprinters."

Future Trends

Looking forward, Sir Roderick predicted the use of facsimile transmission by news agencies and press associations. It involves entirely different principles from those underlying the direct printer system, and the high speeds attained to-day by teleprinting may yet be made to look ridiculous. Facsimile transmission is not a process of sending messages letter by letter, but of scanning a piece of copy in such a way that the whole of the sheet put into the sending machine comes out at the other end after the manner of picture transmission or television.

So far, facsimile transmission is used only for pictures, drawings, advertisements, and so on, not for news messages, as certain parts of the process are still slower or more expensive than ordinary teleprinting when it comes to sending straight-forward text matter. Much inventive genius, however, is engaged in searching for simplifications and improvements which sooner or later may lead to whole messages, irrespective of length, being delivered to newspaper offices in a flash.

Sir Roderick concluded the first part of his address.

"To sum up, we find that the normal and accepted method of distributing news from any central assembling point such as an agency or press association is by teleprinter. This is the common practice to-day in all main news centres throughout the world, and, although there are several different types of teleprinter to choose from, all rest more or less upon the same fundamental principles."

Sir Roderick then turned to the larger question of news transmission from country to country.

Wireless and Cables

"Apart from the remarkable growth in the use of the ordinary telephone, with its complementary recording devices for newsgathering purposes, the development of wireless has been the main factor in revolutionizing news transmission methods in recent years. Wireless is very far from ousting the older cable system, but the new possibilities opened up by wireless, some real and some only imaginary, undoubtedly hastened more than anything else the reorganization of world communications, and to-day we have at our disposal facilities which were undreamt of a generation ago.

"Largely through the enterprise of the old Eastern Telegraph and its associated companies, the British Empire gained an early supremacy in international telegraphy which remained without serious challenge up to the War. Then wireless came into the commercial field, and with it many attempts to break down the British quasi-monopoly, attempts which are still continuing and which, so far as the carrying side of world news is concerned, threaten so to affect the British Commonwealth as to deserve the attention of the Empire Press Union. The growth of radio and the implications of this new factor in world affairs unfortunately are not as yet understood or appreciated in British Imperial circles."

Up to a point cables have tended to be stimulated by radio, both in the commercial and the scientific sense. It was the introduction of short-wave directional wireless—the so-called beam system—that brought matters to a climax.

Immense New Factor

"The development of short waves, with smaller power and higher speed, introduced an immense new factor. It altered the whole financial outlook of wireless, and seemed to point for the first time to direct and successful competition with the cables. This country, possessing both cables and wireless, could only lose by a fight which would inevitably weaken one system or the other. The rivalry therefore was wisely nipped in the bud by the formation of the great corporation now known as Cable and Wireless Limited. The beam services, originally developed on Marconi principles by the Post Office, were brought under the same control and made to serve what is perhaps their proper function as auxiliaries to the cables.

In the meantime cable science forged ahead. The invention of the regenerator increased the efficiency of long-distance cables by 30 per cent. Then came loaded cables. Loading is a method of increasing the inductance of a cable so that its carrying capacity is augmented by four or five hundred per cent. On top of that came multiplex working, the splitting up of a single cable into several different channels. The total result of all these advances was to increase the efficiency of the cable system beyond all comparison with what it was when the radio invasion began.

"It then became more evident than before that wireless could not destroy or displace the cable. Nor was it desirable that wireless should. The cable and the wireless each has its own particular sphere. For certain purposes, especially direct point-to-point communication, cables possess a great advantage over wireless, above all the supreme advantage of security.

Sorting Out

"The two systems are so sorting themselves out as to show that for the immediate future we shall probably have to recognize the superiority of the cable for high speed and continuous telegraphic communication between fixed points, and broadcasting to a large number of places at the same time, in particular the multiple distribution of news services. Wireless will also be indispensable for some time to come, as it is now, for very long distance telephone communications; but we may eventually see the use of the cable for extra-European and Inter-Imperial telephony welcomed as an advance and an improvement on wireless.

"The Agencies and the newspapers use cable and radio impartially in an endeavour to get the best out of both systems. And speaking for Reuters, it is significant that up to the present our very extensive wireless services have not led to any reduction on balance in our cable wordage. We employ wireless chiefly for new types of service dependent upon mechanical facilities which the cables cannot give, and I have no doubt that this is the experience of many others who make use of wireless as well as cables.

To secure to ourselves the special benefits of both systems, we commonly route a single message part of its way by cable and part by radio. For instance, in transmitting certain so-called flash items from America which we require in, let us say Egypt, India, South Africa and China, we receive them at our offices in these countries within 60 seconds of their leaving New York. These messages cross the Atlantic by cable in a few seconds (13¼ seconds to be exact is the average time taken by the short despatches which I have in mind) and they are then put on groups of wireless transmitters here.

Thanks to organization which has been brought to a very high pitch of efficiency, the transfer from the cable to the wireless transmitters, plus coding, checking, and subsequent reception in the most distant quarters of the globe occupies only 30 or 40 seconds more.

"This single example, coupled with what I have previously tried to tell you, should be a fair indication to you of the fantastic way in which news, almost with the instantaneousness of an explosion, is fired over the surface of the earth.

"If I may make a peroration by suggesting a picture, the detailed furnishing of which I leave to you, I suggest, as a warning, that we think for a moment of the two thousand million human creatures in the world, clotted into small and large groups—of family, of relationship, of creed, and of race—and that we reflect upon the possibilities of friction, of drama, of tragedy in even the smallest of these groups; that we think of this friction producer, news, going up like a series of rocket combustions, continuously, everywhere, its particles moving with the incredible velocity which I have described, falling here, landing there, and igniting other explosions until, the world rained upon by these fiery showers, we are faced by something almost alarming, something that must give us pause and that inclines me to finish, with the clergyman, saying, 'Let us pray.'"

THE PRESS AND COURT REPORTING

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The privileges of the Press in courts of law were defended when a Standing Committee of the House of Commons considered the first two clauses of the Summary Procedure (Matrimonial and Other Matters) Bill.

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The first clause of the Bill was approved, and when the second clause was considered, Mr. A. M. Lyons, K.C., (C. Leicester, E.), moved an amendment seeking to delete a sub-section prescribing what persons should be allowed to attend the hearing of domestic proceedings. He contended that it should be open to everyone to walk into a British court wherever a British subject was being tried. He thought the Press could be relied upon at all times to give temperate reports.

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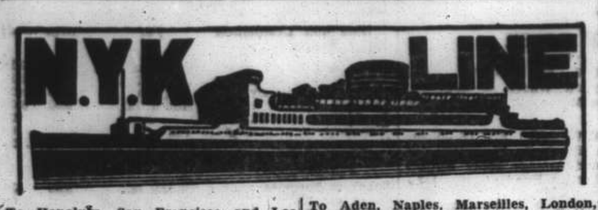

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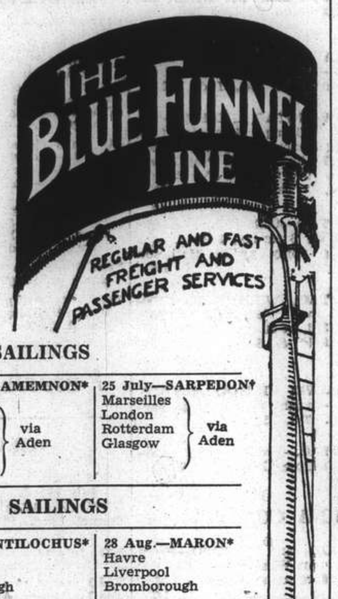

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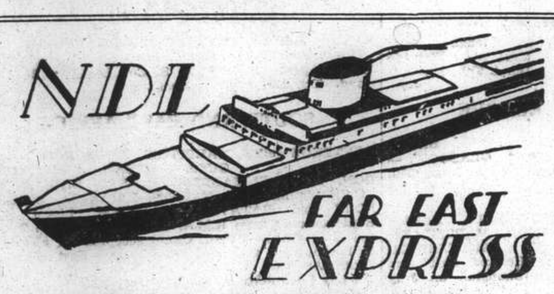

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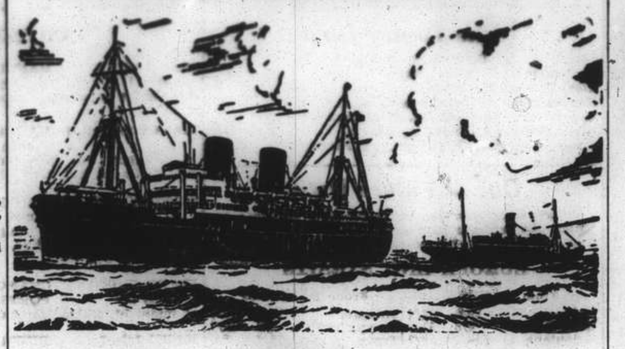

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SOUTHAMPTON'S RECORD

The quantity of shipping entering Southampton Docks during May was 2,307,166 gross tons, and constituted a record for the port. This total exceeded the May, 1936, figure by 38 per cent. and was 177,414 tons higher than the previous record of August, 1936.

11,500-TON MOTOR-SHIP

Mrs. Walter Elliot, wife of the Secretary of State for Scotland, performed the naming and launching ceremony on the Clyde of the 11,500-ton motor-ship Circassia, the largest vessel launched on the river since the Queen Mary. The launch took place from the yard of the Fairfield Shipbuilding and Engineering Company, Govan.

The Circassia is the third Anchor liner to bear the name, but she is the first motor-liner to be owned by the Anchor Line.

FRENCH FLEET REACHES YOKOHAMA

Yokohama, June 30.

Commanded by Vice-Admiral Jules le Bigot, the French Asiatic Fleet, consisting of the cruiser Lamotte Piquet and despatch boat Dumont Durville, arrived here this morning from Kobe. The officers of the Fleet were greeted by representatives of the Navy Office and the French Embassy.

It was announced in Tokyo to-day that the Emperor has presented the Order of the Rising Sun with Double Rays, Second Degree, to Vice-Admiral le Bigot and the Order of the Rising Sun with small cordon, fourth class, to each of the Admiral's three staff officers.—Domei.

SAILING SHIPS' RACE FROM AUSTRALIA

All five Finnish sailing ships taking part in the annual race from Australia to England, with cargoes of grain, have now arrived at Falmouth. Their times for the 6,000-mile voyage were:

Pommern	2,376 tons	94 days
Passat	3,137 tons	94 days
L'Avenir	2,754 tons	95 days
Viking	2,670 tons	103 days
Lawhill	2,816 tons	106 days

The Passat and the Pommern are, therefore, the joint winners of the race.

All five vessels experienced abnormally fine weather during the voyage.

On board L'Avenir were three Englishwomen, who are learning navigation. Capt. Erickson stated that they had taken their turn at the wheel and had gone aloft and furled and unfurled sail.

All five ships are registered at the Finnish port of Mariehamn.

THREE NEW RIVER BOATS ORDERED BY C.M.S.N.

A contract for the building of three steel twin screw motor lighters has been signed by the China Merchants S. N. Co. with the Kiangnan Engineering Works recently, it was revealed at the head office of the shipping firm yesterday. The three vessels will be commissioned for the Middle Yangtse River service in the future.

All of the three boats will have a length of 252 feet, a breadth of 35 feet 6 inches and a draught of nine feet. With a deadweight of 975 tons and equipped with diesel engines of 500 B.H.P., these vessels will be capable of doing about 11 knots. The construction will be first class throughout.

It is expected that the boats will be delivered from the yards twelve to fourteen months hence. With the completion of these vessels, through service with the lower and upper river will be greatly facilitated, as it will be recalled that the Company ordered only a short time ago the building of two Upper Yangtse boats from the same dockyard.

POSITION OF GERMAN SHIPPING EXPLAINED

Hamburg, June 30.

Mr. Emil Helfferich, former Secretary of State, contends that German shipping on the high seas will be able to get into its normal stride again only when the Pound Sterling is once more worth 20.40 Marks.

Addressing the ordinary general meeting of the Hamburg America Line share holders in his capacity as chairman of the supervisory board, he stated that Germany had also profited from the general improvement in world shipping although matters were still not as good as they might be. The most urgent problems facing German shipping at the present moment was in connection with the need for extension of the mercantile fleet. The major part of the programme of new constructions would be carried out with a view to a revival of the North Atlantic service where the Hamburg America Line intends to make a start with the introduction of modern vessels of a highly practical design.

Mr. Helfferich stated, however, that the line had no intention of engaging in the race to have the biggest or speediest ship on the North Atlantic.—Trans-Ocean.

Eumaeus Due

The Blue Funnel ss. Eumaeus is due to arrive in Shanghai this morning at 10 o'clock from Liverpool via the Suez Canal and Hongkong. The vessel will be berthed at buoys 15 and 16. Messrs. Butterfield and Swire are the local agents.

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Butterfield Arrivals

Two Taikoo ships are due to arrive in port to-day. The ss. Kwangchow will arrive from Hongkong and Swatow sometime this morning as will the ss. Wuhu from river ports. The only ship due to-morrow is the ss. Wuchang from river ports in the morning.

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Ewo Ships

Two ships of the line are due in Shanghai to-day. The ss. Norviken is expected to arrive alongside Hunt's Wharf at 6 o'clock this morning from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow and the ss. Paowo is due from Ichang via river ports to-day. The only sailing to-day is the ss. Siangwo from Hunt's Wharf at midnight to-night bound for Hankow via ports.

Diomed Here To-day

From Liverpool via Hongkong, the ss. Diomed, of the Blue Funnel Line, is due to arrive in Shanghai this morning at 6 o'clock and will berth at the Woosung Railway Wharf.

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Cortellazzo

Word was received yesterday by the local office of Lloyd Triestino that their mv. Cortellazzo sailed from Trieste on June 29 and is due to arrive at Shanghai on or about August 14.

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Este Due Saturday

On Saturday morning, the ss. Este, cargo vessel of Norddeutscher Lloyd, is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Germany via Suez, Singapore and Hongkong with much cargo for local discharge.

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President Doumer

The mv. President Doumer, of Messageries Maritimes, arrived in Shanghai on Tuesday from Marseilles via Port Said, Colombo, Djibouti, and ports to dock alongside the China Merchants Central Wharf. The vessel will sail at 3 p.m. to-morrow for Kobe.

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Rokko Maru from Japan

This morning, the ss. Rokko Maru, of Nippon Yusen Kaisha, is due to arrive in Shanghai from Yokohama and ports, with many passengers, cargo, and the next mail from Japan. The vessel will be berthed alongside the company's Wayside Wharf from which she is scheduled to sail on Sunday morning at 5 o'clock bound for Yokkaichi and Yokohama.

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President Cleveland

The ss. President Cleveland, trans-Pacific steamer of the Dollar Steamship Lines, will arrive in Shanghai on Friday, July 2, from New York via Havana, Cristobal, Balboa, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe. Disembarking passengers are expected to arrive at the Customs Jetty at 8.30 p.m. Many passengers for Shanghai, a large consignment of mail and cargo will arrive here in the vessel. She will sail from the Dollar Wharf at 8.15 p.m. on Saturday, July 3, the last tender leaving the Customs Jetty at 7 p.m.

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For River Ports.—June 30.—Mrs. A. S. Behaghel, Mrs. Suniaeva, Mr. T. R. Austin, Mrs. and Miss Mender, Mr. S. K. Tso, Mr. O. P. Chan, Miss N. L. Peacock, Miss C. Chapman, Miss G. Au Yang, Mrs. Mei, Miss Foretti, Mr. Koo, Mr. M. H. Kung.

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"The Shipping Industry," continued Mr. Shaw, "is lucky in the relationships of its various members, and this applies to relations with our colleagues of other Lines, both at Home and abroad. To take but one instance, we have no more agreeable colleague in the Shipping Conferences than those great Shipowners who come from Germany, and we adjust our difficulties with them invariably in a spirit of friendship and esteem. Perhaps this example has a significance which extends beyond the Shipping Industry itself, and indeed touches the fringe of the greatest problem in the world to-day.

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Political Questions

"There are no doubt economic and political questions which remain for settlement. Some of these may be full of difficulties. Their solution, which would be impossible in anything like an atmosphere of antagonism, will be immeasurably helped by an atmosphere of kindly feeling between the peoples. Often what appears to be insoluble yields only to the solvent of friendship.

"We must start, of course, in this country by recognizing the undoubted fact that the whole German nation is solidly behind Hitler. We respect their internal arrangements as we believe them to respect ours. The British public were not unmindful, during the trying episodes of a few months ago, of the dignified restraint of the German newspapers, like those of our own land; and more recently the very friendly attitude of the German Press to the Coronation of our King has evoked warm feelings throughout the British Empire. These are only two small instances of a process which is going on. It is for all of us—business men no less than others—to do our part towards the building up and consolidation of a friendship which would in time transform for the better the political situation and revive the hopes of men everywhere."

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BRITISH DESTROYERS LAUNCHED

Two Tribal class destroyers, the Afridi and Cossack, were launched recently within seven minutes of each other from the naval yard of Messrs. Vickers-Armstrongs, Walker-on-Tyne. The Afridi, which entered the water first, was named by Lady Foster, and the Cossack by Mrs. S. V. Goodall.

The vessels are armed with 4.7in. guns, anti-aircraft guns, and torpedo tubes. They were originally ordered from the firm's Barrow yard, where the machinery is being built, but were transferred to the naval yard. They were laid down in June, 1936, and are expected to be ready for commission by the end of this year. In March last year the destroyers Hero and Hereward, of 1,350 tons displacement, were similarly launched at the yard. The Cossack and Afridi have a displacement of 1,850 tons, and engines of 44,000 horse power to develop a speed of 36 knots. They have a length of 335ft. and a beam of 36½ft.

Lady Foster was accompanied by General Sir Richard Foster, and Mrs. Goodall was accompanied by Mr. S. V. Goodall, Director of Naval Construction. The dual ceremony was watched by a large number of guests, who were afterwards entertained at a tea presided over by Commander Sir Charles Craven, chairman and managing director of the builders. The Admiralty was represented by Mr. A. P. Cole (constructor in charge), Mr. F. Martin (principal ship overseer), Mr. C. J. Butt (warship production superintendent), and active naval officers on the Tyne.

A Minesweeper

The Leda, an 815 ton minesweeper, was launched at Devonport Dockyard recently. The ceremony was performed by Lady Eliot, and was attended by Admiral Sir Reginald Plunkett-Ernle-Erle-Drax, Commander-in-Chief. The Seagull, a sister ship, which is being built alongside, will leave the stocks shortly. Both minesweepers were authorized in Supplementary Estimates last year.

ELLERMAN LINE VESSEL

A large cargo steamer, the City of Capetown, which was launched recently at the Birkenhead yard of Cammell Laird and Co., is the first of four vessels being built by the company for the Ellerman Lines. The launch was performed by Lady Mattinson, wife of Sir Miles Mattinson, chairman of the Ellerman Lines (who used a bottle of Empire wine. As soon as the new ship had taken the water workmen began to lay the keel of another Ellerman vessel. The City of Capetown has a length of 486ft., breadth of 62ft., depth of 35ft., and a maximum draught of 28ft. 6in.

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Sacramento	Am.	Gbt.	U.S.N.B.
D. de Lagree	Fr.	Gbt.	K.D.W.
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Weather, Time and Tide

Thursday July 1, 1937 (23rd day of 5th moon)	SICCAWEI June 29 16.00	21.00	June 30 4.00	9.00	GUTZLAFF June 30 9.00	14.00
Barometer inches at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.)	29.67	29.73	29.79	29.84	29.86	29.86
at 32 F. (" " 12 hrs.)	0.00	+0.04	+0.16	+0.17	+0.19	+0.16
Wind (direction)	+0.04	+0.06	+0.12	+0.11	—	—
" (miles per hour)	N	NNE	NNE	ENE	NNE	NE
Temperature (Fahr.)	7.4	10.6	5.0	1.2	2 force	2 force
Humidity	81.°7	72.°5	68.°5	71.°4	71.°6	73.°4
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	73	89	93	88	—	—
Rainfall inches	7	6	10	10	10	10
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Siccawei Abridged Report June 29	Mean 1937	24 hours variation	Previous average same period (64 years)
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	29.67	—0.02	29.72
Temp. Min. 70.°9 Max. 85.°8	78.°3	+2.°7	76.°8
Total rainfall January 1 to midnight before last (inches)	20.97	0.05	21.80

Date	1/7	2/7	3/7	4/7	5/7	6/7	7/7	8/7	9/7
Sun rises at Shanghai	4.52	4.53	4.53	4.54	4.54	4.54	4.55	4.55	4.57
Sun sets at Shanghai	19.03	19.03	19.03	19.03	19.03	19.02	19.02	19.02	19.02
Moon rises at Shanghai	23.41	0.00	0.21	1.06	1.58	2.57	4.02	5.10	6.18
Moon sets at Shanghai	12.00	13.05	14.11	15.19	16.26	17.30	18.27	19.18	20.02
Flood makes Shanghai	15.30	16.27	17.40	6.20	7.42	8.54	9.56	10.40	11.14
Ebb makes Shanghai	7.54	8.50	9.50	10.58	12.32	13.23	14.16	15.05	15.47
H.W. at Woosung Bar	16.57	18.02	6.31	7.53	9.18	10.31	11.25	12.16	13.01

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Tientsin.—ss. Tai Shun
Hongkong.—ss. Kwangchow
Canton.—ss. Norviken, ss. Hai Chen
River Ports.—ss. Wuhu, ss. Paowo
Ningpo.—ss. Hsin Kiangteen, ss. Ningshin

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EUROPE AND STRAITS

From LONDON

Soudan	29/5	11/7
Ksr-I-Hind	4/6	11/7
Rajputana	18/6	25/7
Ranpura	2/7	30/7
Burdwan	26/6	9/8

From LIVERPOOL

Diomed	22/5	1/7
Eumaeus	21/5	1/7
Deucalion	29/5	8/7
Theseus	5/6	18/7
Patroclus	5/6	20/7
Achilles	19/6	30/7
Memnon	26/6	5/8

From GLASGOW

Deucalion	22/5	8/7
Memnon	19/6	5/8
Stentor	3/7	14/8

From COPENHAGEN

Panama	28/4	8/7
Africa	26/5	23/7
Tongking	27/5	8/8

From GOTHENBURG

Nagara	—	20/7
Agra	29/5	23/7
Triton	19/6	7/8
Delhi	—	17/8

From OSLO

Taronga	18/5	7/7
Trianon	3/6	23/7
Nagara	4/6	26/7
Triton	—	8/8

From GDYNIA

Eurypylus	29/5	19/7
Teucer	26/6	16/8

From ANTWERP

Glenogle	—	9/7
Potsdam	11/6	10/7
Kulmerland	9/6	16/7
Sin'ton Crt.	3/6	25/7

From ROTTERDAM

Este	30/5	3/7
Nordmark	23/5	10/7
Gaasterkerk	27/5	10/7
Ermland	4/6	20/7
N. de Larrinaga	1/6	25/7
Meerkerk	1/7	14/8

From HAMBURG

Euryades	5/5	3/7
Este	22/5	3/7

From HAMBURG

Potsdam	5/6	10/7
Eurypylus	2/6	19/7
Trave	19/6	5/8

From MARSEILLES

Min	—	2/7
Andre Lebon	11/6	13/7
L.S.L. Bie	—	19/7
Jean Laborde	25/6	26/7
Sikiang	—	12/8

From TRIESTE

Himalaya	31/5	9/7
Sumatra	20/5	20/7

From PORT SAID

Este	9/6	3/7
Potsdam	20/6	10/7
Nordmark	7/6	10/7
Kulmerland	22/6	17/7
Ermland	17/6	20/7
Sin'ton Crt.	17/6	25/7
N de Larrinaga	16/6	25/7
Rajputana	30/6	25/7

From MASSOWAH

Himalaya	14/6	9/7
Sumatra	10/6	20/7

From COLOMBO

Este	20/6	3/7
Nordmark	18/6	10/7
Soudan	25/6	11/7
Ksr.-I-Hind	27/6	11/7

From SOUTH AFRICA

Houtman	—	11/7

From BELEWAN

Este	24/6	3/7

From BATAVIA

Tjisadane	30/6	10/7

From KARACHI

Sumatra	24/6	20/7

From CALCUTTA

Santhia	18/6	12/7
Talma	2/7	26/7

From MELBOURNE

Nellore	2/6	8/7

From SINGAPORE

Santhia	1/7	12/7

From MANILA

Nellore	30/6	8/7

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From NEW YORK

P. Cleveland	20/5	2/7
Thurland Cas.	20/5	2/7
Silver Walnut	—	7/7
Pyrrhus	19/5	11/7
S. Mariner	—	11/7
P. Adams	27/5	13/7
Ward	—	25/7
Steel Navig.	5/6	27/7
P. Harrison	10/6	27/7
P. Taft	17/6	30/7
C. Evansville	14/6	15/8
Maron	27/6	17/8
Potter	—	24/8

From VANCOUVER

Talthybius	6/6	4/7
E. Russia	26/6	12/7

From SEATTLE

Talthybius	21/5	4/7
P. Grant	19/6	6/7
Tyndareus	30/6	1/8

From PORTLAND

Michigan	—	13/7
G. Pershing	—	19/7
G. Lee	—	28/8

From SAN FRANCISCO

Lossiebank	23/6	3/8

From LOS ANGELES

P. Coolidge	22/6	13/7

From YOKOHAMA

Rokko M.	—	1/7
Talthybius	23/6	2/7

From KOBE

Shanghai M.	—	3/7
Nagasaki M.	—	5/7

From OSAKA

Ikoma M.	—	4/7

CHINA PORTS

From VLADIVOSTOK

Sever	—	6/7

From DAIREN

Tsingtao M.	—	2/7

From FUSAN

Fusan M.	—	4/7
Heian M.	—	4/7

From TIENTSIN

Tai Shun	—	1/7
Shengking	—	4/7
Leesang	—	4/7
Tingsang	—	7/7

From TSINGTAO

Kwaisang	—	2/7
Daviken	—	6/7

From HONGKONG

Kwangchow	—	1/7
Soochow	—	3/7
Tsinan	—	4/7
Yochow	—	6/7

From CANTON

Norviken	—	1/7
Hai Chen	—	1/7
Prosper	—	4/7
Chaksang	—	6/7
Taksang	—	7/7

From CHANGSHA

Tatung	—	3/7

From YANGTZE PORTS

Wuhu	—	1/7
Paowo	—	1/7
Loongwo	—	2/7
Wuchang	—	2/7
Shasi	—	3/7
Wulin	—	4/7
Whangpu	—	5/7
Suiwo	—	5/7

From NINGPO

H. Kiangteen	30/6	1/7
Ningshin	30/6	1/7
H. Peking	1/7	2/7
H. Ningshao	1/7	2/7

Yesterday's Arrivals

Name	From	Berthed	Consigness
San Peh		NSCW	San Peh
Katie Moller	Chinwangtao	KMAW	K M A
Siamese Prince	Japan	ONW	Jardine
Hsin Ningshao	Ningpo		Ningpo S S
Hsin Peking	Ningpo		B & S
Ryoga M.	Tientsin	WW	D K K
Yili	Wenchow	NSCW	Tien Shing
Hakodate M.	Hongkong	PW	N Y K
Yohhsing	Tsingtao	NTSTSW	T P S S
Chosa M.	Keelung	OSKYW	O S K
Kiangching	River Ports	KLYW	C M S N
Siangwo	River Ports	HW	Jardine
Yisung	River Ports	CHW	C H S S
Haikwang	Tsintgao	APCLW	A P C
Chengta		TTCW	Yat Shing
Sungpu		HSWP	San Peh
Haihsiang	Haichow	YKDW	C M S N
Yihhsing			C H S S
Mikasa M.	Japan	MW	N Y K
Siangtan	River Ports	CNWP	B & S
Hoten M.	Dairen	WW	D K K
Fausang	Tientsin	ONW	Jardine
Shuntien	Tientsin	CNCW	B & S
Nagasaki M.	Japan	WSW	N Y K

Yesterday's Departures

Name	Flag	Destination	Despatcher
Shinai	Br	Tsingtao	G L Shaw
Kungwo	Br	River Ports	Jardine
Tatung	Br	River Ports	B & S
Tingsang	Br	W. C. T'tsin	Jardine
Changhsing	Chi	River Ports	San Peh
Hengshan	Chi		San Peh
Ming-I	Chi	Chungking	M S Ind.
Daviken	Nor	Tsingtao	Jardine
Mingshan	Chi	Tsingtao	San Peh
Toyama M.	Jap	Bombay, etc	N Y K
Haean	Chi	Wenchow	C M S N
Fukwang	Br	T'tao, T'tsin	A P C
J. D. Ford	Am	Cruise	
Hsin Peking	Br	Ningpo	B & S
Hsin Ningshao	Chi	Ningpo	Ningpo S S

Vessels in Harbour

Arrived	Name	Tons	Flag	Berthed
June 26	Glenfinlas	4811	Br	HWP
June 27	Nanning	1305	Br	CNWP
June 27	Changhsing	2121	Chi	NSCW
June 27	Shantung	1568	Br	CNCW
June 27	Anlee	978	Chi	CERW
June 27	Tjibadak	4801	Net	HWP
June 27	Hwah Jang	2146	Chi	CHW
June 27	Aldington Court	2979	Br	OSKYW
June 27	Taiyuan	2100	Br	CNCW
June 28	Ningshao	1090	Chi	NSCW
June 28	Fengyang M.	2803	Jap	NKKW
June 28	Ming Lien	736	Chi	TTCW
June 28	Chang On	2235	Br	KMAW
June 28	Kienkuo	1588	Chi	KLYW
June 28	Pingwo	1848	Br	ONW
June 28	Woosung	2119	Br	CNWP
June 28	Iyang M.	515	Jap	NKKW
June 28	Szechuen	1594	Br	WTW
June 28	Tangshan M.	1285	Jap	NKKW
June 28	Hsin Pingan	916	Chi	TKDMW
June 28	Yingping	1646	Chi	29-30 B
June 28	Nanchang	1488	Br	CNWP
June 28	Tweedbank	3412	Br	SHW
June 29	Pacific	727

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From Europe by Suez Diomed, left Liverpool May 22, due Shanghai July 1
From U.S.A.....Pres. Grant, left Seattle June 19, due Shanghai July 6
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TO-DAY'S ENTERTAINMENTS

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Auditorium: Hai Alai, 8 p.m.	70099	Isis: Spain in Flames	46721
Capitol: Call It a Day	17100	Lafayette: Metropolitan	81200
Cathay: Make Way for Tomorrow	73757	Metropol: Escadrille	93322
Ciro's: Entertainment	34340	Nanking: Night Must Fall	84133
Del Monte: Entertainment	20825	Rialto: Sinner Take All	94110
Grand: Love is News	32223	Willies: The Big Game	43982
Hongkew: Fang and Claw	4014[illegible]		

FRENCH GOVERNMENT WIN PLENARY POWERS

Senate and Chamber Majorities Pass Financial Bill: Uproars Twice Suspend Deputies' Debate

M. LEON BLUM CREATES SENSATION

London and Washington Consent to Allow Franc Parity to Fall to 125 to £1: Huge Deficits Revealed

Paris, June 30.

FRANCE'S Government crisis is believed ended with the passage of the Government's Financial Plenary Powers Bill in the Chamber of Deputies and the Senate, late this evening, passed the measure by 167 to 82 votes.

The Senate's Finance Commission adopted the Bill by twenty votes to three. Among the twelve abstentions were M. Joseph M. Caillaux, president of the Commission, and M. Pierre Laval, former Premier. Earlier this afternoon, after debate was twice suspended by uproars, the Chamber of Deputies passed the Bill by 380 to 228 votes. M. Georges Bonnet, the Minister of Finance, just before the division, intimated that London and Washington assented to his proposal to allow the franc to drop to 125 to £1. The Chamber's Finance Commission had adopted the Bill unamended last night by seventeen votes to sixteen, five Communists and three Socialists abstaining.

M. Vincent Auriol, M. Bonnet's predecessor, explained in the lobby of the Chamber after the debate, that funds at the disposal of the Treasury stood at Frs. 2,459,000,000 when M. Blum's Plenary Powers Bill was tabled in the Chamber on June 15.

Funds were reduced to Frs. 1,400,000,000 when the Senate's vote on June 20 led to the fall of M. Blum's Cabinet. When M. Chautemp's Government was formed on June 23, there were Frs. 1,483,000,000 but immediately rumours of devaluation caused a mass flight of capital. This combined with the reimbursement of Treasury bonds reduced Treasury funds to a low level.

M. Bonnet is understood to have told the Chamber's Finance Commission yesterday that the Government wished to suppress the regulation in the monetary law pegging the franc to a lower limit than 43 milligrammes of gold, which would be inconvenient during pressure on the franc. This means the Government wishes to be able to devalue further if necessary. M. Bonnet indicated that Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the British Prime Minister, and Mr. Henry Morgenthau, the American Secretary of the Treasury, would make a statement on his point.

Enormous Gold Loss

M. Bonnet is also understood to have told the Committee that the gold outflow amounted to Frs. 2,500,000,000 from June 23 to June 28 and to Frs. 5,200,000,000 from June 1 to June 22.

The deficit in the ordinary budget, he said, was from Frs. 6,000,000,000 to Frs. 10,000,000,000 and in the extraordinary budget Frs. 8,500,000,000. Ready money at the disposal of the Government was only Frs. 20,000,000 and that it had demanded an advance of Frs. 400,000,000 to meet current expenditure.

The Government's Plenary Powers Bill consists of a single clause demanding authority to take, by decree, "all measures calculated to assure repression of attacks on State credit, to assure the fight against speculation and also to assure economic recovery and control of prices, the balancing of the Budget and the equilibrium of the Treasury and defence, without control of exchanges or the Bank of France's gold reserve."

The Chamber had met yesterday afternoon in an atmosphere of tense excitement and decided by 393 votes to 142, to postpone a debate on general policy and to discuss the Powers bill.

The Premier, M. Camille Chautemps, is expected to demand a decree adjourning Parliament.

Sensation in Senate

A sensation was created in the Senate yesterday when M. Leon Blum, vice-Premier without portfolio, declined to read the ministerial declaration on learning that the President of the Senate, M. Jules Geanneney, intended to make a statement which he (M. Blum) regarded as a public disavowal of his ministerial colleague, M. J. B. Lebas, for attacking the Senate in a speech at Roubaix on June 27. M. Blum returned to his home, and M. Albert Sarraut, read the ministerial declaration.

The Bourse, closed yesterday until a date to be named later by ministerial decree, will not re-open to-day.

Though M. Chautemps asked assent for allowing the franc to drop to 125 to £1, some circles believe the Government preferred 150 to £1. Symptomatic of confusion of reports on the Government's intentions, is that M. Bonnet is stated to have told the Chamber's Finance Committee that the three main planks of his reforms were an increase of Frs. 100 milliard in the limit of bank advances to the State, readjustment of taxes, and to allow the franc to find its own level.

M. Bonnet, in outlining his programme, emphasized that the Budget must be balanced and said the Treasury next year would need Frs. 30 milliards, thus necessitating new borrowings from the Bank of France and entailing modification of the existing monetary laws.

M. Bonnet declared he would maintain all social reforms already voted.—Reuter.

U.S. Treasury Keeping Close Watch on Paris

Washington Ready to Cope with Franc Reactions

SENATOR PITTMAN SAYS NO ACTION REQUIRED

Washington, June 29.

The Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Henry Morgenthau, and the Chairman of the Federal Reserve Board, Mr. Marriner S. Eccles, were in close conference for a lengthy period this morning over the French monetary situation.

Officials of the Treasury Department are keeping a very close watch on developments but have declined to discuss the possible effects of the French plans.

Mr. Morgenthau later conferred with M. Van Zeeland, the Belgian Premier, and M. Jean Appert, Financial Attaché of the French Embassy. Prior to the conference M. Jean Appert disclosed to press representatives that France will still take part in the Tripartite Agreement and wishes to continue with the agreement.

In a statement to press representatives to-day, Senator Key Pittman, Democrat, Nevada, said that the temporary abandonment of the gold standard by France would improve the world monetary situation.

"I do not believe," he added, "that any action by Washington is necessary or desirable."—Reuter.

COMMONS STATEMENT ON FRANC CRISIS

Paris and London Maintain Contact Over Crisis

London, June 30.

Unbroken contact was maintained all day yesterday between the British and French Treasuries over the French financial situation.

The proposed financial measures of the French Government were explained to the House of Commons to-day by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir John Simon.

"It is generally recognized," he said, "that the readjustment of the franc in September, 1936, was not entirely successful in re-establishing a lasting equilibrium between the economic system of France and those of the United States and Great Britain although such is the underlying objective of the tripartite agreement.

"I understand that the measures now contemplated by the French Government involve the removal of the upper and lower gold limits now prescribed for the franc, in order to bring about the necessary readjustment.

An optimistic view of the French financial situation was taken by "The Times" to-day. It states editorially that, "The new Prime Minister has proclaimed that the French Government intends to continue the foreign policy pursued by its predecessors and will endeavour to widen the field of international co-operation. If the present difficulties of the franc are surmounted without awkward repercussions, it can only be done by the co-ordinating and stabilizing efforts of the three funds for the equalization of exchanges, British, French, and American. M. Georges Bonnet's experience in Washington should prove useful in helping him secure this co-operation."

The "Financial Times" declares, "With the assistance of the British and American exchange account with the firm framework of the tripartite agreement, the French Franc should find its own level and bring exchanges into a new equilibrium."—Havas.

U.S. NATIONAL DEBT ESTIMATED

Washington, June 29.

President Roosevelt estimated to-day that the gross public debt would amount to $36,400,000,000 on July 1. The estimate was based, he said, on United States Treasury figures as of June 26, with calculations for the last four days of the 1936-37 fiscal year.—United Press.

MRS. PUTNAM POSTPONES TAKE-OFF FROM LAE

Lae, New Guinea, June 30.

Mrs. Amelia Earhart Putnam, who is flying round the world via the Equator, postponed her take-off from here to-day on the first leg of her 5,000-mile over-water flight across the Pacific, because of her failure to receive weather reports fom Howland Island, her next destination. The delay will allow her a good rest here, which she said she wanted after landing here from Port Darwin yesterday.—United Press.

Spanish Rebels May Win Rights As Belligerents

Possible Outcome of New Hitch Over Control

GLOOMY OUTLOOK

Italo-German Opposition Stiffening

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, June 30.

Although the situation remains grave so long as Germany and Italy oppose the Anglo-French proposals for reconstituting the naval observation scheme off Spain, British circles are satisfied that much of the non-intervention system remains.

There was no indication at yesterday's meeting of the Non-Intervention sub-committee that the German and Italian attitude goes beyond withdrawal from active participation in the control plan.

Although German and Italian observers have been advised to resign. German and Italian merchantmen bound for Spain will still submit to inspection at one of the international control ports, but it is uncertain how much longer the two nations will continue to accept this obligation.

Therefore, it is hoped that at the meeting of the Committee on Friday Germany and Italy will be able to define their position more clearly and will see their way to co-operate regarding the withdrawal of volunteers.—Reuter.

Belligerent Rights Bargain

London, June 30.

Britain may trade recognition of the Spanish Nationalists as a belligerent for German and Italian adherence to the non-intervention principle, authoritative sources revealed last night.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, and the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, met last evening and are reported to have come to that conclusion as the only way to avoid the complete collapse of non-intervention in Spain.

This would not necessarily imply diplomatic recognition, Havas' source specifies. Rome apparently believes that such recognition as a belligerent would give certain advantages to Gen. F. Franco and enable him to engage in naval operations against Spain's Mediterranean coast. Latest reports from Rome indicate Italy may then accept continuation of the non-intervention principle.

Portugal has meanwhile informed the British Foreign Office that she could not continue to grant facilities to the British control fleet along the Portuguese border so long as the control system remains undefined and incomplete.

Further, it has become more and more apparent that Germany and Italy will not accept the Anglo-French plan for joint patrol of the Spanish coast in place of the four-Power patrol and Germany's withdrawal.

After yesterday's meeting of the Non-Intervention Committee, some of the delegates said Herr von Ribbentrop's chief objection to the Anglo-French scheme was that neither government is represented at Burgos.

The scheme is doomed to failure, many believe, so that on Friday the Committee is expected to be compelled to proclaim the end of the non-intervention control and will ask Italy and Germany to make counter proposals. If they refuse, the Committee may be obliged to recognize the belligerency of both sides in Spain, and ask for a declaration of neutrality from all Powers.—Havas.

German Warships Returning

Berlin, June 30.

Besides the cruiser Leipzig, which has entered Kiel, four German torpedo boats, Seeadler, Albatros, Luchs and Leopard, are at present in the English Channel on their return trip from Spain to Kiel.—Havas.

Mr. Anthony Eden, the Foreign Secretary informed the House of Commons to-day that the British Government had expressed regret to Lisbon at Portugal's decision to withdraw facilities granted observers of the Portuguese-Spanish frontier. Portugal would observe her engagements on arms exports to Spain pending consideration by the Non-Intervention of the control scheme. If the former operation of the scheme were resumed, Portugal would restore her facilities to observers. These observers, said Mr. Eden, would therefore remain at their posts in readiness.—Reuter.

U.S. JEWRY SEEKS PALESTINE UNITY

Delegation for London to Plead Against Partition

London, June 30.

The Zionist organization in America has elected a delegation to proceed to London to present American Jewry's case against any proposal for the partition of Palestine which, it is feared, may be contained in the report of the Royal Commission.

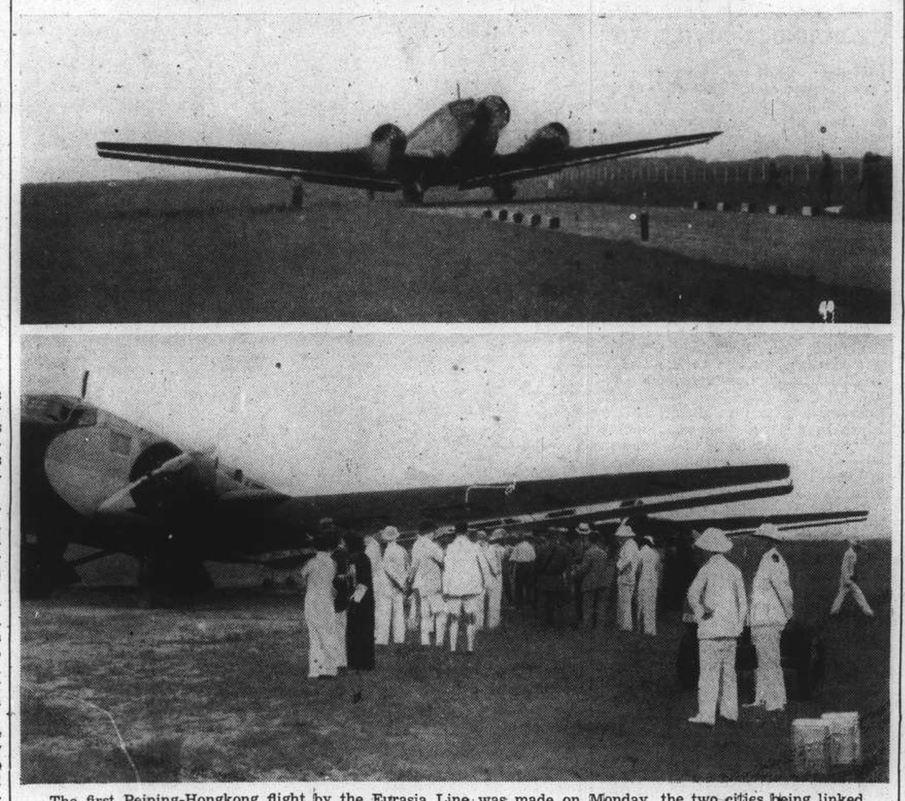
Mr. Stephen Wise, who is the founder and Rabbi of the Free Synagogue of New York, will head the delegation.

The Commission report will be considered by the Cabinet to-day. Its recommendations, together with the British Government's views, will be submitted to the Mandates Commission of the League of Nations, as any change in status requires international ratification.

It is understood that the report makes important specific recommendations for a solution of the conflicting interests of Arabs and Jews.

Political circles expect that the British Government will generally approve the report as the best means of an equitable settlement.—Reuter.

FIRST EURASIA FLIGHT FROM PEIPING TO HONGKONG



The first Peiping-Hongkong flight by the Eurasia Line was made on Monday, the two cities being linked up in 12 hours. These pictures show the giant plane at Hankow pausing on its way to Hongkong.

Britain's Navy Now Brought to High Efficiency

Vast Oil Reserves Ready: Gun Power Increased

SIR T. INSKIP INFORMS LONDON BUSINESSMEN

London, June 29.

Sir Thomas Inskip, the Minister for the Co-Ordination of Defence, addressing a gathering of over 1,000 business men in the City of London, made important references to the progress in Britain's rearmament programme and the Government's plans in case of national emergency.

He declared that the Navy's readiness for her task is much greater than it was twelve months ago. Vast resources of oil fuel have already been accumulated. Britain's battleships will be the best protected in the world. Her cruisers and destroyers, having regard to treaty limits, will provide the highest standards in power and efficiency of gun armament possible to-day.

Provision has been made to store some of the most important raw materials that would be required if an emergency should arise.

Considerable supplies of essential commodities are now available. Steps had been taken for increasing the food supplies of the country and for the supply and distribution of foodstuffs for the fighting and civil populations.

Sir Thomas said that of the 123 air squadrons formed at home since rearmament began, all but one would be up to full strength by the end of July. The Minister added "nothing we propose is intended for aggression. It is for defence."—Wireless through Reuter.

UNIONISTS RETAIN ILFORD

Mr. Geoffrey Hutchinson Wins By-Election

London, June 29.

The by-election at Ilford, caused by the retirement of the Conservative member, Sir George Hamilton, has resulted in another victory for the Conservative Party with the return of Mr. Geoffrey Hutchinson, who defeated his opponent, Mr. Percy Astins, Labour, by 9,319 votes.

Polling figures were:—

Mr. Geoffrey Hutchinson (U.) ..	25,533
Mr. Percy Astins (L.)	16,214
Result at the General Election:—	
Sir George Hamilton (U.)	43,208
Mr. Percy Astins (L.)	25,241

—Reuter.

CANADIAN PREMIER VISITS FUEHRER

Germans Attach Importance to Meeting

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Berlin, June 29.

The Germans have been most favourably impressed by the meeting between Mr. Mackenzie King, Minister of Canada, and Herr Adolf Hitler, which took place to-day.

Economic questions, particularly commercial relations between Germany and Canada, were discussed, as well as the general political situation.

The fact that the official "Diplomatische Korrespondenz," devoted its entire service to the subject to-night, proves the importance official quarters attach to the visit.—Reuter.

SIR ALAN COBHAM HURT IN PLANE CRASH

Southampton, June 29.

Sir Alan Cobham was slightly injured to-day when his plane crashed at North Stoneham while he was departing for a government luncheon on the anniversary of the inauguration of Empire air mail service.—United Press.

Pig Explodes at Wedding Feast at Gakovo

Belgrade, June 29.

A pig, roasting on a spit, exploded during a sumptuous peasant wedding in the village of Gakovo, showering a hail of sizzling meat over the wedding guests.

A terrified nine-year-old child ran into the stables to hide and was trodden to death by a horse excited by the explosion.

Police investigation revealed a cow's horn filled with gunpowder was stuffed in the pig's stomach.—Trans-Ocean.

Appointment of Col. Hornby as Chief of S.V.C.

Selection of Col. Graham's Successor Confirmed

SERVED IN SOMALILAND, EGYPT AND SUDAN

In reply to a letter sent by the Shanghai Municipal Council to the British War Office requesting the appointment of an officer to replace Col. F. R. W. Graham as Commandant of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps on expiry of his term of extended secondment on January 2, 1938, the following message has been received, "Subject to your approval the Army Council have selected Col. J. W. Hornby, M.C., at present on half pay, as Commandant, Shanghai Volunteer Corps, vice Col. Graham." This appointment was exclusively reported by the "North-China Daily News" London correspondent last Saturday.

Col. Hornby was born in 1887 and entered the Army as a Second Lieutenant on probation in 1906. He was promoted Lieutenant in 1909, Captain in 1917, Major in 1923, Lieut.-Colonel in 1931, and Colonel in 1935. He has served with the Camel Constabulary in Somaliland, the Egyptian Army, and the Sudan Defence Force.

The Municipal Council has approved the selection of the Army Council and arrangements will now be made for Col. Hornby's transfer to Shanghai. He will probably arrive towards the end of the year.

U.S. TO AID TRADE RECOVERY

M. van Zeeland Interviews American Leaders

Washington, June 29.

The United States was disposed to co-operate in the "joint work" of rebuilding international trade, solving monetary matters and effecting armaments reduction, declared a joint statement issued to-day by President Roosevelt and M. Paul van Zeeland.

The visiting Belgian Premier had an extremely busy day. He conferred again with Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, concerning world economic stabilization, interviewed Mr. Summer Welles, Assistant Secretary of State, and later had luncheon with the President. In the afternoon he conferred with Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Secretary of the Treasury, but no announcement was made regarding the subjects discussed.

In an official statement the Belgian Embassy said no definite proposal had been offered by either side, and nothing in the nature of a formal agreement was anticipated. It explained that the talks undertaken by M. van Zeeland were designed merely to give him a better understanding of the United States economic policy.

After his talk with Mr. Morgenthau, the Belgian Premier declared that the discussion was satisfactory.—Reuter.

"N.-C.D.N." CORONATION MEMORIAL FUND

Previously acknowledged	$96,458.54
"Protestant"	25.00
Shanghai Gas Co., Ltd.	500.00
	$96,983.54

Soviet Gunboat Sinks In Clash On Amur River

Japanese-Manchu Troops Return Fire

TENSION FLARES AFTER DIPLOMATIC PARLEYS

Changchun, June 30.

War clouds hovered menacingly low over the strife-ridden Amur River border zone to-night after a sharp encounter between Soviet gunboats and Japanese and Manchoukuo troops.

One Soviet vessel was sunk and another disabled in the combat at about 3 o'clock this afternoon, a Kwantung Army communique said. This was less than 24 hours after the Soviet Foreign Commissar, M. Maxim Litvinov, had unconditionally promised the Japanese Ambassador, Mr. Mamoru Shigemitsu, in Moscow, that Soviet troops holding the two Amur River islands would be withdrawn.

According to the Kwantung Army, three Soviet gunboats steamed into the channel south of Sennuha Island, about fifteen kilometers upstream from Chike, and opened fire on the positions held by Japanese and Manchoukuo forces on the southern bank of the river.

"Our forces," the communique said, "were compelled to return fire as a result of which one of the vessels was sunk, another was seriously damaged, and the third fled."

New Protests Filed

The Japanese and the Manchoukuo governments immediately filed protests with the Soviet authorities against this "invasion of Manchoukuo waters," the communique added.

The number of casualties and other details regarding the clash were unavailable here this evening.

According to border experts, the vessels involved were believed to be armoured light draft launches armed with machine-guns and light cannon.

Official Moscow dispatches reaching the Japanese Foreign Office to-day said that the Soviet Government had agreed to restore the *status quo ante* on the Bolshoi and Sennuha islands by withdrawing Soviet troops entrenched there since June 22. Soviet troops concentrations nearby would also be dispersed. M. Litvinov, a Gaimusho spokesman revealed to-day, also expressed his Government's wish that the Tokyo authorities would take steps for the alleviation of the tense situation along the border river and the Japanese Government regarded M. Litvinov's reply as satisfactory and intended to take steps as desired by Moscow.

Antecedents of Claims

Both Bolshoi and Sennuha Islands, also known respectively as Chinam and Kanohaz, are located midstream in the Amur River. Manchoukuo authorities contend that both lie south of the international waterway demarcating the Soviet-Manchoukuo frontier. The Soviets recognized this border at the Blagoveschensk waterways conference which arrived at a technical agreement whereby the Soviets maintain the lighthouses north of the international waterway and Manchoukuo looks after those south of the channel.

The lighthouse keeper on Sennuha Island was driven away by Soviet troopers in the morning of June 19 while another group of about fifty Soviet soldiers forced Manchurian placer miners on Bolshoi Island to withdraw, according to official reports.

About forty Soviet border guards were subsequently transported to Sennuha from Pojarkovo, Soviet town on the northern banks of the river, while another detachment of about twenty men took over Bolshoi on June 22, these reports added.—Domei.

U.S. SENATE RATIFIES EIGHT TREATIES

Washington, June 29.

The Senate to-day, without debate, ratified eight treaties adopted by the Pan-American Conference at Buenos Aires.—Reuter.

U.S. Steel Men Blow Up Water Mains of Plant

Johnstown Mayor Orders Plotters to Leave

DEATH TOLL MOUNTS AS TENSION CONTINUES

Washington, June 29.

Before conferring to-day with President Roosevelt, Mr. Charles P. Taft, chairman of the Federal mediation board, said his group would recommend to the Secretary of Labour that a conference of steel operators and strikers be held as the best means of allaying suspicion. The Board's report would be made public to-morrow. The Secretary of Labour, Miss Frances Perkins, informed the press to-day that she was studying further possibilities of mediation.

President Roosevelt at his press conference to-day said he believed most Americans were discussing the present steel strike in an attitude of "a plague on both your houses." He did not reveal whether he was contemplating intervention. — United Press.

Inland Steel Co. Peace

Cleveland, June 29.

The Inland Steel Co., to-day accepted a proposal of the Governor, Mr. Martin L. Davey, for a temporary agreement for a peaceful settlement of the strike in its Indianapolis plants.

Leaders of the Committee for Industrial Organization, which is leading the steel strike in seven states, indicated they would reject the proposal as it contains no provision for a signed contract, which they said was the sole immediate issue of the strike.

The temporary agreement would provide that 20,000 employees of the company's Indianapolis plants return to work immediately pending hearing before the National Labour Relations Board. The company would agree not to discriminate against former strikers or union members.

Despite the C.I.O. refusal, the Inland Co. announced that it would open its plants at Indiana Harbor on Thursday morning.

The C.I.O. condemned violence on the picket lines to-night as the thirteenth life was lost in the seven state steel strike.

All along the strike front, however, there were charges of violence, kidnappings, bombings and dynamiting of the property of the nation's leading independent steel producers.—United Press.

Bombing Plot Revealed

Johnstown, Pa., June 29.

Headed by the Mayor, Mr. Daniel Shields, the City Council to-day notified two steel strike leaders, James Mark and C. W. Jones, that the city could not be responsible for their safety unless they "peacefully withdraw from the community." This followed two mysterious explosions in the mountains outside the city yesterday which severed the major water supply of the Bethlehem Steel Co. and forced suspension of operations in the company's Cambria plant.

The City Council later ejected Mr. Mark's attorney when he attempted to protest against the city's action. Union leaders telephoned a protest to the Governor and advised Mr. John L. Lewis, chairman of the C.I.O., of the Council's action.

The explosions here yesterday followed the discovery of an alleged bombing plot of union leaders at Warren, Ohio, where three men under arrest were said to have confessed to the attempted destruction of a railway bridge. Warren police later issued a warrant for the arrest of Mr. Gus Hall, C.I.O. organizer, charging him with illegal possession of nitroglycerin. Police said Hall and five other union men had planned a series of explosions on and near the property of the Republic Steel Co.

The attempt to blow up the railway bridge was interrupted by National Guardsmen. One man under arrest at Warren was injured when the union men attempted to dispose of the explosive by throwing it from their speeding car.—United Press.

Death Threats at Youngstown

Youngstown, O., June 29.

Four union leaders were under arrest here to-day and police were seeking several others on a complaint filed by an employee of the Youngstown Sheet and Tube Co. alleging he had been forced to sign a union card at headquarters of the Committee for Industrial Organization "in order to get out alive."—United Press.

C.I.O. Strikers Arrested

New Haven, Conn., June 29.

Police to-day arrested five C.I.O. strikers after they had severely beaten a plant superintendent and two others while attempting to force their way in the Duro-Gloss rubber plant here.—United Press.

Death Toll Mounts

Beaver Falls, Pa., June 29.

The death toll mounted to thirteen to-day when George Mike, a picket at the Moltrup Steel Co. plant, died of injuries suffered in a recent riot here.—United Press.

Building Strike Near

San Francisco, June 29.

A threatened strike of 4,000 elevator operators and starters, engineers and janitors in San Francisco's major office buildings drew near today when the Building Owners and Managers Association declined to submit to the Mayor, Mr. Angello Rossi, a list of buildings which the Association represent.—United Press.

Companies Buy Arms

Chicago, June 29.

Mr. F. A. Alexander, a salesman for the American Munitions Co., testified before the National Labour Relations Board hearing to-day that the Inland Steel Co. had purchased ten 12-gauge shot-guns and 250 shells loaded with rock salt four days before the inception of the present steel strike. After the outbreak of the strike, he said, he conferred with company officials regarding the purchase of tear gas bombs and other forms of chemicals.—United Press.

U.S. RAILWAYS LOAN TO CHINA UNDERWRITTEN

R.F.C. to Finance Half of $1,500,000 Sale

MORE CREDITS LIKELY

Dr. H. H. Kung Declares Specific Needs

Washington, June 29.

Mr. Jesse Jones, chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, announced to-day that the Export-Import Bank, an R.F.C. subsidiary, had agreed to finance one-half the price of a $1,500,000 sale of twenty locomotives to China.

Orders for ten locomotives each have been placed with the Baldwin Locomotive Co., and the American Locomotive Co. They will be the first completely American-built locomotives to be sold to China, and will be operated on Chinese Government lines.

Mr. Jones said that Dr. H. H. Kung, Chinese Minister of Finance, was negotiating other credits, but that the total had not yet been determined because the Chinese Government had not decided on the precise equipment desired.

Mr. Jones said he believed that additional railway equipment and also textile and paper manufacturing machinery were considered. The Export-Import Bank, he said, does not hesitate to extend credits to China because that country has regularly and promptly lived up to every financial agreement with the United States to the letter. He said about $13,000,000 worth of China credits made in recent years were still outstanding.

Dr. Kung's Statement

Dr. H. H. Kung revealed to-day that China is desirous of obtaining foreign funds to finance internal loans which at present carry an interest rate of eight per cent. In addition, he said China is interested in commercial credits abroad for "installment buying" of specific commodities. China is not interested in foreign loans for new purposes, he pointed out.

Dr. Kung made this statement after he had been received by President Roosevelt at the White House. He and the President chatted for ten minutes. Mr. Roosevelt announced that he would again receive Dr. Kung next week, possibly on Tuesday, after his own return from his son's wedding and after Dr. Kung's return from Oberlin College.

Dr. Kung explained that China wished to avoid a consortium loan. He said that China customs receipts showed a surplus of Ch.$150,000,000 each year after payment of foreign loans installments and guaranteed on all outstanding foreign loans.

Conversion Scheme Hopes

"It is possible that China would be interested in a conversion scheme by which present interest amounting to about eight per cent. and $2,000,000,000 Chinese currency would be reduced to four per cent., saving about $80,000,000 which might be used for reconstruction purposes," he asserted.

His conversation with the President was general, Dr. Kung reported. He conveyed his respects to the President as a friend, and thanked him for American co-operation in China's currency crisis. He was unable to state precisely the nature of his conversations with the Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, and the Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Henry Morgenthau, except to say that the subjects were the common interests of China and the United States.

The Chinese Minister of Finance said he did not intend to raise the silver question while here. China, he pointed out, had large deposits in United States banks since making silver sales to the United States, but that bankers did not pay interest on the amounts.

The situation, he said, demonstrated that there were vast amounts of capital the owners of which were seeking profitable investment opportunities. He said some owners would probably be glad to obtain four per cent. interest from a China conversion loan, instead of nothing, particularly in view of the fact that China's credit was firmly re-established.

Dr. Kung said China's projected five-year economic plan was designed to include enlarged domestic manufactures, reducing the nation's dependence on imports.

For the economic and industrial development of China, Dr. Kung said, "we need scientific knowledge, technical skill and capital. Following the teachings of Dr. Sun Yat-sen, we welcome foreign co-operation. We want to develop China's vast resources, not only for China but also for the world."

Democratic Neighbours

"Your country is in a uniquely advantageous position vis-a-vis China," he said. "First of all, the two countries have an unbroken record of traditional friendship. Secondly, they are neighbours across the Pacific. Both have the same ideals of democracy. Therefore, all co-operative undertakings in harmony can be reasonably assured. If your people are willing to invest some of their surplus capital in China, we can assure security. Our successful currency reforms have produced salutary results in the economic life of the nation. We have been especially favourably assisted in international trade through the stabilization of the Chinese dollar."

Dr. Kung was the guest at luncheon to-day of the Intercontinent Corportion. He was the guest at dinner of the Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Dr. P. W. Kuo, director of the Bureau of Foreign Trade, to-day conferred with Mr. Wayne Taylor, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, but insisted that the visit was merely "a friendly call."—United Press.

FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATIONS

Baseball, Polo Games, A Ball and Receptions Featured

ANNUAL PARADE ON THE RACE COURSE

Saturday will see the American community of Shanghai beginning the three days of celebrations of "The Glorious Fourth," which falls on the following day when citizens of the United States all over the world commemorate the Declaration of Independence. Appropriately, the celebrations will open with the annual Fourth of July baseball game, one of the highlights of the season, which will start at the Race Course at 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon.

This is the traditional game between the Shanghai Amateurs and the Fourth U.S. Marines at the Race Course, with both teams going all out in this classic event for the Cunningham Cup. No admission charge is made, and the stands should be crowded to capacity. The opening pitch will be made at 3.30 p.m., the preliminary programme beginning at 3 p.m. Parking of cars will be permitted on the mud track, under the direction of the police.

At 9 o'clock on Saturday night, the annual display of fireworks will be held, on the grounds of the Columbia Country Club. This display will be open to all members of the club and their families, and will be followed by the club's annual Fourth of July Ball, with buffet supper, open to all members of the club and their guests.

July 4 being a Sunday, there will be no celebrations on this day. Monday, however, will represent the peak of the local festivities. At 8.30 a.m. on Monday, the Flag Raising Ceremony and Fourth U.S. Marines parade on the Recreation Ground of the Race Course will be held amid scenes of picturesque ceremony. The ceremony is open to all, and American flags, supplied by Mr. Clarence E. Gauss, U.S. Consul-General, and Mrs. Gauss, will be presented to all children attending.

Parking Arrangements

The police state that all cars are to enter and leave the Recreation Ground by the Loongfei Gate. All parking will be under police direction. Motor cars with special "A" windscreen notices will park near the Recreation Club and those with "B" notices near the Cricket Club; other cars will park on the mud track.

In order to relieve congestion at the Loongfei Gate, no vehicles will be allowed to leave the Recreation Ground between 8 and 8.30 a.m. Parking space is also available on Mohawk Road for those wishing to enter the Recreation Ground by means of the Race Club gate on Bubbling Well Road.

From 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., the U.S. Consul-General will hold an official reception in the Columbia Country Club for Chinese and other officials and invited guests, and this will be immediately followed by the American Club's "Open House" in the club's premises, Foochow Road, to club members and their guests.

Traffic Arrangements

Special parking space will be reserved on Foochow Road (south side) between Kiangse and Szechuen Roads, and on Kiangse Road (west side) between Foochow and Hankow Roads. The car park on Hankow Road (north side) between Kiangse and Honan Roads will also be available, but not specially reserved.

The police warn guests who already have their cars parked downtown and within easy reach of the club that they will probably save time and trouble by proceeding to the "Open House" on foot or by rickshaw.

And finally, the day's celebrations will come to an end with the polo game in the Race Course for the British Fourth of July Cup, when two of the strongest American teams, the Troopers and the Cowboys, will clash for the privilege of carrying off the trophy.

The game will start at 5 p.m., and parking of cars will be under the direction of the police on duty around the mud track of the Race Course.

PERSONAL NOTES

Mr. J. C. Bosustow yesterday entered hospital to undergo an operation.

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Rev. L. L. Fairfield left Shanghai yesterday in the ss. Kungwo for Kiukiang.

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Mr. L. H. Foulds, H.M. Consul at Dairen, left Shanghai yesterday for Manila in the ss. Empress of Canada.

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Superintendent H. D. M. Robertson, of the Municipal Police, returned to his desk yesterday after his recent illness.

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Mr. Vicente Aldanese, former Commissioner of Customs at Manila, left Shanghai for Manila yesterday in the ss. Empress of Canada.

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Mr. Tatsuichiro Funatsu, managing director of the Japan Cotton Mill Owners Association, will leave here to-day for Japan, where his wife is reported to be seriously ill.

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Mr. R. D. Lapham, President of the American Hawaiian Steamship Company, and Mrs. Lapham left Shanghai yesterday in the ss. Empress of Canada for Hongkong.

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Mr. Yoshizumi Ichihara left Dairen yesterday in the ss. Tsingtao Maru for Shanghai. He will be the resident representative of the Directorate-General of Manchoukuo State Railways.

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Baroness Falkenhausen is leaving Shanghai to-day in the ss. Pingwo for Kiukiang and in the same vessel Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Maxwell and Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. C. Ayrault are leaving for Hankow.

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Dr. and Mrs. James L. Maxwell left Shanghai last evening on the Pingwo for Hankow, where Dr. Maxwell is taking up a position as head of the Institute of Hospital Technology at the Union Hospital.

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Mr. Taizo Hattori, manager of the local branch of the Bank of Chosen, has been appointed to head the Dairen office of the Bank. He will be succeeded by Mr. Shiichi Ohkusa, chief of the Foreign Exchange Section of the head office, in Seoul.

Two Live Pandas Captured

Lifan Woodcutter's Rare Catch

In 1928 the Kelly-Roosevelt Expedition spent U.S.$100,000 just to shoot one giant Panda. Last year, Mrs. William Harkness arrived in Shanghai, hugging a baby model that she had captured north of Chengtu—eight days' journey, to be exact—and which was the first one believed to have been captured alive. She kept it in the Palace Hotel for some time before she eventually received permission to take it with her to the United States.

Now both their efforts fade into insignificance with the Chinese report of the capture by a woodcutter of two fairly adult pandas, a male and a female, in the forests around Lifanting, a city a few kilometres north-west of Chengtu. Mrs. Harkness's panda weighed a few ounces under 5 lb. when captured.

The woodcutter's captures weigh considerably more. The male panda weighs over 200 kilogrammes (over 90 lb.) and the female over 100 kilogrammes (over 45 lb.) He immediately built a cage in his hut, and has found himself to be a very popular man, people coming from far and near to look at the rare animals.

"Certain foreigners," concludes the report, have offered the woodcutter high prices for the pair, but for reasons of his own the woodcutter has so far refused to part with them. He may be holding out for a higher price, it is true, but on the other hand he may be a true collector, a man to whom possession of something rare means more than its mere monetary value.

HUSBAND DIES IN THE MORNING

Wife in Chinese Court the Same Afternoon

SEQUEL TO SEIZURE OF BOOKS BY POLICE

Yesterday morning, Mr. A. I. Sotov, general manager of the Tass News Agency, died. Yesterday afternoon, his wife, Mrs. Valentina Sotov, appeared in the Second Branch of the Kiangsu High Court to answer questions relating to a recent seizure of books from her store by the police. She was released on bail.

Mr. Andrei Ivanovitch Sotov died in the morning at the Shanghai General Hospital, after an illness. A civic memorial service will be held to-day in the chapel of the International Funeral Directors, 207 Kiachow Road. The late Mr. Sotov was 33 years of age.

A short while ago a quantity of books was seized on the premises of the American Book & Supply Co., 841 Bubbling Well Road, by the police, and these books are still being examined by the local Kuomintang officials. Mrs. Sotov, who said she was manager of the company, appeared before the Chinese Court yesterday for questioning.

Warrant Difficulty

Mr. King S. Kum, the Assistant Municipal Advocate, who prosecuted, said that Warrant No. 2302, issued by Judge Dzien, did not state specifically whether it was Mrs. Sotov or the manager of the company who was wanted. A representative of the Shanghai City Government Police Bureau, however, was quite certain that Mrs. Sotov was the wanted party.

Mr. Sotov was in hospital at the time of the seizure of the books, and the police were now asking for a remand to give them time to make further enquiries, concluded Mr. Kum.

After Mrs. Sotov had answered one or two short questions, she was released by the Court on a shop or cash security of $300.

U.S. COMMUNITY'S ELECTION RESULTS

Dr. J. C. McCracken is Made New Chairman

The results of the annual election for the General Committee of the American Community in Shanghai are now completed and the following committee will act for the coming year. Messrs. E. M. Gale, J. A. Mackay, H. E. Page, Col. C. F. B. Price, Dr. E. W. Luccock (to serve for three years); Mrs. A. C. Cornish, Messrs. A. Bassett, P. Le Fevre, D. C. Reib, F. J. Twogood (to serve for two years); Messrs. N. F. Allmann, C. S. Franklin, O. G. Steen, H. W. Frick, Dr. J. C. McCracken (to serve for one year).

The ex-officio members of the committee are Mr. C. E. Gauss, U.S. Consul-General, Judge Milton J. Helmick, Mr. Julean Arnold, U.S. Commercial Attache, and Mr. W. H. Plant, Chairman of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce.

The following officers were elected for the coming year at a meeting of the committee held recently: Dr. J. C. McCracken, Chairman; Mr. O. G. Steen, Vice-Chairman; Mr. W. A. Adams, hon. secretary; Mr. H. W. Frick, hon. treasurer.

The following were named as chairman of the various committees: Mr. W. H. Plant, civilian relief; Mr. D. C. Reib, American School; Mr. J. S. Potter, entertainment; Mr. J. A. Mackay, audit; Mrs. A. C. Cornish, Thanksgiving Day.

Up to May 31, 1937, 335 Americans had contributed $4.857 to community funds.

EURASIA 'PLANE RETURNS

Inaugural Flight Smooth: Fine Weather

Peiping, June 30.

The inauguration of the one-day passenger and air-mail service between north and south China was successfully ended this evening with the landing in Peiping from Hongkong of the Eurasia Aviation Corporation's fifteen-passenger monoplane at 6.13, just seventeen minutes ahead of schedule.

The return trip began this morning in fine weather when the aeroplane hopped off from Hongkong at 6 o'clock expecting to arrive in Peiping at 6.30 this evening.—Reuter.

POOR CHILDREN IN SUMMER CAMP

"Open House" at Shanghai's Fresh Air Village

TWO WEEKS' BENEFIT FOR UNDERPRIVILEGED

Visitors who motored out to the "open house" of the Children's Fresh Air Camp yesterday afternoon, saw just how happy 43 boys and girls could be, playing in the sun, stuffing themselves with good, wholesome food, and watching the gardener tend the vegetables.

These 43 children, 27 girls and sixteen boys, are at the camp for two weeks. On July 7 a new batch of little girls will replace the present ones for a two weeks' holiday in the sunshine. A new group of boys will change places with the ones already at Millington's Camp on Saturday.

The camp, sponsored by the Joint Committee of Shanghai Women's Organizations, caters to the underprivileged foreign children of Shanghai. That is, those whose parents cannot afford to give them holiday trips. In fact in some cases there's no money in the home at all and in others there are not even any parents to watch over the poor little children.

The camp, situated at Great Western and Warren Roads, was started four years ago. It has grown by leaps and bounds but even now there is not room to take care of all the children who should have the camp's benefits.

Boys' Camp

Until now boys could only come to camp in August, after all the little girls had had their turn. This year a special benefit was held and enough money raised to give the boys their own quarters at Millington's Camp, just across the road. The boys, supervised by Mr. Victor Peter, come over at meal time and join the girls.

Mrs. A. Condratenko, better known as "Aunt Mary," takes care of the girls.

The children are happy in their "jungle" gymnasium; there are a couple of old bicycles, a swing, a victrola and other games and toys to amuse the children. Sheets and shoes are needed for the campers, according to the committee.

Among interested Joint Committee members and camp workers who greeted visitors there yesterday, were Mrs. Arthur N. Young, "godmother" of the camp, Mrs. Wirt Leonard and Mrs. C. B. Morrison, who were instrumental in raising so much money for the camp last winter and spring; Mrs. C. Ivery of the B.W.A., and Mrs. Ivor E. G. Hunter, the new chairman of the Joint Committee.

HEALTH CONTEST IN NIPPON COMMUNITY

Best Boy and Girl Chosen for Shanghai

Beaming happily, a young boy and an equally young girl on Tuesday heard themselves pronounced the healthiest children of Shanghai's Japanese community.

The crowns were earned by the children—Master Yasusuke Ohta and Miss Sumiyo Okamoto—after a series of elimination physical examinations for the healthiest pupils of the schools maintained by the Japanese Residents' Corporation.

On June 18, sixty-seven boys and girls were picked from among the thousands of Shanghai's Japanese youngsters. This number was whittled down to ten in the second examination, held on June 24.

On Tuesday, the Central Examination Committee for the selection of the healthiest children, met at the Japanese Club and cast its vote in favour of Ohta and Okamoto.

The judges in the contest, which has been sponsored annually for the past four years by the "Shanghai Mainichi," included Mr. Masusaburo Amano, head of the Japanese Residents Corporation; Dr. Shinzo Shinjyo, President of the Shanghai Science Institute; Dr. Kan Tongu, Chairman of the Shanghai Japanese Medical Association; principals of local Japanese schools; and other civic officials.

Four other youngsters received honorable mentions. They were Master Koichiro Tani, Master Setsuo Sakane, Miss Keiko Yano, and Miss Chizuko Hayano.

PHI TAU PHI HONOUR SOCIETY

To Hold 4th Convention at Chiaotung University

The Phi Tau Phi Honour Society of China will hold its fourth national convention at the Chiaotung University, Shanghai, on Friday and Saturday next, its third national convention having been held in July, 1934, in Tientsin.

The Society was founded in 1921 and its purpose is to encourage and reward scholarship and research, promote intellectual fellowship among its members and create mutual interest among the various institutions of higher learning in China.

Membership of the Society is granted to the graduating students of scholastic attainment and promise, graduates who have attained eminence in their work, returned students who have received Phi Beta Kappa, Sigma Xi, Tau Beta Pi, Phi Kappa Phi honour at an American university or equivalent honours in other foreign countries and other persons of eminence in literature, science, art or philosophy.

The control of the Society is vested in an executive council. The present officers and council are Dr. Chang Poling, president; Drs. J. Leighton Stuart and J. Usang Ly, vice-presidents; Mr. F. I. Li, secretary-treasurer, and Mr. S. T. Yang, assistant secretary-treasurer. Voting delegates are Y. F. Wu (Ginling), C. Y. Hsu (Lingnan), S. T. Yang (Nankai), H. R. Wei (Nanking), J. U. Ly (Nanyang), S. T. Li (Peiyang), C. E. Liu (Shanghai), Y. C. Yang (Soochow), Y. T. Tsur (St. John's), C. C. Lo (Tangshan), L. K. Chang (West China), and C. F. Wu (Yenching).

FRESH AIR CAMP FOR CHILDREN

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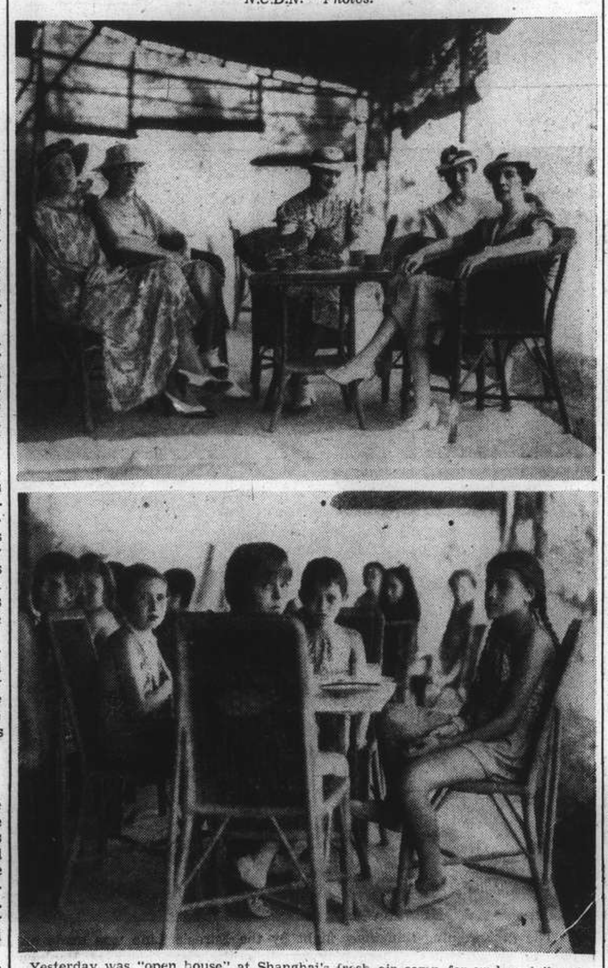

Yesterday was "open house" at Shanghai's fresh air camp for underprivileged children. In the top picture are a group of visitors and committee members, from left to right, Mrs. C. Ivery, Mrs. D. E. Biggar, Mrs. A. N. Young, Mrs. C. B. Morrison, Mrs. Wirt Leonard. Below are shown some of the girls who enjoyed tea during the party.

SEWERAGE COOLIES STILL ON STRIKE

Assemble in McGregor Road: Dispersed

CHANGING OF BADGES RESENTED BY MOST

Public Works coolies in the Eastern district continued troublesome yesterday, necessitating special precautions to be taken against disturbances in the Kashing Road and Wayside police districts. Some 200 of these workers, who are attached to the sewerage branch, are now on strike. The unrest is the outcome of the arrest of a former, coolie, in Yangchow Road on Tuesday, for alleged intimidation.

About 130 of the strikers assembled in MacGregor Road, near Baikal Road, at 8.30 o'clock yesterday morning to hold an indignation meeting. A squad of police from the Wayside Station went to the scene, but the attitude of the coolies became so threatening that the Reserve Unit was called out. When the "red marias" appeared, the strikers dispersed peacefully. One arrest was made.

Yesterday afternoon the strikers sent delegates to call on Mr. T. K. Ho, Assistant Secretary of the Municipal Council. It was reported that the men had vainly sought to interview Mr. Yu Ya-ching, who has mediated in many labour disputes in the past.

One of the reasons for the strike continuing was the changing of the coolies badges at the Sawgin Road Depot early yesterday morning, only about eighty of the 290 men being willing to make the change.

A NEW MUNICIPAL DISPENSARY

French Council to Meet a Long-Felt Need

Situated at the corner of Route Pere Froc and Rue Amiral Bayle, the new French Municipal Dispensary building was opened on Tuesday afternoon by M. M. Baudez, the French Consul-General, in the presence of a large gathering of municipal officers and medical men. The new building, which is four stories high, was designed so as to meet every need that would be demanded of it, and at the same time the simple yet beautiful lines of modern architecture were not forgotten by the architect, MM. Leonard, Veysseyre and Kruze.

The ground floor contains the various consultation rooms for foreigners; the next two floors are reserved for the use of the Prophylactic Institute, the others being for the use and residence of the Chinese medical personnel attached to the building.

The new building fills a long-felt need, for it will enable these attached to it to carry on their work with greater freedom, and this work will no longer be almost entirely confined to Chinese, as was the case with the old building. Even then, the number of cases coming before those concerned was over 70,000 a year.

SUSPENDED SENTENCE ON EX-COMPRADORE

A sentence of ten months' imprisonment, suspended for two years, was passed by the First Special District Court yesterday on S. Zung-yoong, alias S. Chen-yoong, former compradore of Messrs. Philips China Co., Szechuen Road, charged with misappropriating a total $109,000 of the company between July and August, 1932.

YUENFONG ROAD SCENE OF $680 LOOTING

Armed robbers were active in Lane 178, Yuenfong Road, yesterday morning, four men looting a Chinese house there of money and jewellery to the total value of $680. They escaped, and no shots were fired.

STUDENTS TURN TO ORATORY

Tungwen College Members Go to Japan To-day

Abandoning school benches for orators' rostra, 16 graduating students of the Tung Wen College, Hungjao Road, will leave here to-day for Japan on a mission to explain China to their fellow countrymen.

The students' knowledge of things Oriental has been enhanced by their recent two-month trips of investigation to areas lying between the strife-torn Amur River on the North and tropical Java in the South.

Five professors, who have been coaching the youthful orators for the past few weeks, will accompany them on the tour, and will, on occasions, mount the rostra themselves.

Also aboard the ship will be the College's judo team, en route for the Intercollegiate Judo Championship contests in the huge Butokukai hall in Kyoto.

The squad, which last year reached the finals, will, however, have to stop over in Fukuoka for the preliminaries on July 15-18.

Athletic Teams Going

Other athletes taking advantage of the institution's summer vacation will to-day board the ship for national baseball and track and field contests in Fukuoka and Osaka respectively.

The baseball nine will take part in the Kyushu zone elimination contests in Fukuoka, July 13-16, to gain the right to participate in the Intercollegiate Championships in August.

The track and field team will enter the intercollegiate contests, to be held in Koshien, near Osaka, on July 18-19.

The school's fencers, their muscles supple and strong after months of rigorous training, will also leave here to-day in the Hoten Maru for an invasion of Manchuria. Contests have been arranged with the picked fencers of Dairen, Mukden, Harbin, Changchun, and Fushun.

Not to be outdone, the tennis squad will leave here on July 9 in the Nagasaki Maru to meet the teams of the Mitsubishi Dockyards, Nagasaki, on July 11, and of the Saga Higher School, Saga City, on July 13.

POLICE RAID STRAW HUT COLONY

Man and Two Pistols Seized in Chapei

Considerable excitement reigned in the straw hut colony in Tatung Road, Chapei, yesterday morning, when a party of Chinese Police armed with pistols and wearing steel vests, raided one of the dwellings. One suspect was arrested and in his abode were found two pistols and several rounds of ammunition.

The policemen arrived in several cars. After a cordon had been thrown around a section of the colony, the armed men broke into the particular hut. During the raid, nobody was allowed to loiter in the vicinity. Additional raids were being conducted by the police last night.

The arrested suspect was reported to have been wanted in several robbery and theft cases in Nantao and Chapei.

EX-BREWERY WORKERS SENTENCED

Prison terms ranging from six to three months each were imposed in the First Special District Court yesterday on five former brewery workers who were arrested by Pootoo Road Station officers for intimidating five loyal workers of the Union Brewery, Ichang Road, to join a strike and for illegally detaining the workers after forcing them to proceed from the Settlement to Chapei. Three other accused in the case were acquitted.

CHINESE TAIPAN CHARGED

Alleged Hiring of Man to Commit a Murder

FORMAL HEARING HELD IN CAMERA

Li Fuk-chong, chief manager of Sincere's Perfumery Manufactory, appeared on remand before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett in Kowloon Magistracy on Friday last on a charge of being an accessory before the fact in the murder of Mr. Chan Lai-tsun, alias David Chan Sze, former managing director of the Sincere Company Ltd.

The precise nature of the charges was disclosed for the first time in an attentive and excited court, where a number of fashionably-dressed Chinese ladies were spectators, reports the "Hongkong Telegraph."

Defendant was charged with procuring and commanding a man named Ko Wah-tak, or some other, to commit murder between April 13 and May 13.

Defendant was dressed in European-style clothing, without a tie, and answered his name and alias, Li Tat-leong, in a firm tone.

Mr. Leo D'Almada, Snr.:—"I am appearing for accused and I understand the prosecution wants a week's formal remand. I have no objection."

Detective-Inspector A. E. Carey, for the police, confirmed this, and His Worship remanded defendant for one week in police custody.

Defendant Sees Wife

Mr. D'Almada and Inspector Carey then left the Court, but returned shortly after, when the former asked permission for defendant to be seen by his wife, brother and sister.

Inspector Carey raised no objection, and permission was granted.

Besides Mr. Li Fuk-chong, who was arrested on June 17, there have been three other arrests in connection with the murder. Two men, Ko Wah-tak and Leung Wong, both unemployed, were apprehended some time ago. Another man, named Au Hing, was arrested in the New Territories on June 24 in connection with this case.

With the exception of Au Hing, all the accused have already appeared at the Kowloon Magistracy, but the formal hearings took place unknown to the Press or public, it being considered necessary, in the interests of justice, not to notify the Press the date or time of the hearings, as the police enquiries had not been completed. Remands were granted in each case.

Ko Wah-tak, who was arrested in Des Voeux Road Central on June 10, and who, it is understood, will be defended by Mr. Peter H. Sin, and Leung Wong, who was taken into custody at Mongkok two days earlier, was to be brought before the Court on Tuesday morning.

MANIPULATIONS ON LOCAL MARKETS

Fresh Enquiry to be Made: Nine Brokers Fined

The Ministry of Industry, which investigated the trading on the cotton yarn market recently, will conduct a similar enquiry into the prevalent conditions in the Chinese flour market, it was reported in Chinese circles here yesterday.

Because of the rapid increase in prices, the Flour Exchange has suspended business during the past two days to collect additional margins from the brokers. Rumours have been current that a powerful group of speculators has been manipulating the market.

Mr. Wang Hsiao-lai, chairman of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce and concurrently Government Supervisor of Chinese Exchanges in Shanghai, has been called to Nanking to make a preliminary report on the transactions on the flour market. The Ministry of Industry is expected to send a delegate to Shanghai to inspect accounts of varicus brokers of the Flour Exchange on Saturday.

Following the recent official investigation, the registration of three brokers of the Cotton Goods Exchange, No. 15, No. 35 and No. 38, has been cancelled, while Broker No. 52 was ordered to suspend business until further notice. Nine brokers were fined $5,000 each.

JAPANESE ABBOT TO VISIT SHANGHAI

Head of Sect to Officiate at Temple Anniversary

Count Kocho Ohtani, chief abbot of the Higashi-Honganji Temple, and head of the influential Shinshu Ohtani sect, will officiate at the ceremonies commemorating the 60th anniversary of the establishment of the Higashi-Honganji Temple, Wuchang Road, in mid-October. He will be accompanied by Countess Tomoko Ohtani, sister of Empress Nagako.

News of the religious leader's impending visit was brought here on Tuesday by the Rev. Kensei Takanishi, chief abbot of the local temple, on his return aboard the m.v. Asama Maru from Kyoto.

A 480-page book, describing the 60-year history of the local temple will be issued in the middle of this month.

PEIPING POLICE TAKE PRECAUTIONS

Peiping, June 30.

Semi-martial law has been enforced in Peiping during the last two nights as a result of rumours that plain-clothes men have smuggled themselves into the City from Tientsin and Tungchow to create disturbances. Four plain-clothes men have been arrested, and are stated to have confessed that they were in the pay of certain disgruntled politicians.—Reuter.

An important convention of the Foreign Ministers of the Near Eastern countries is due in Teheran in the next few days. The signing of a non-aggression pact proposed on October 20, 1935, and initialled at Geneva, is expected to be signed.

PULLER GRABS CHILD OF PASSENGER

Attempt to Get More Money Foiled by Foreigners

Two foreign women were able to save a Chinese woman and her two children from an awkward predicament yesterday at about 10 a.m. at the corner of Nanking and Honan Roads. The Chinese woman and her children—one a babe in arms and the other a little boy of between two and three years—had got out of a rickshaw near the corner and had paid off the rickshaw puller. The mother then turned to go into a shop on the corner, but the puller, apparently dissatisfied with his fare, seized her little boy by the arm and refused to let him go until he was paid considerably more.

The distracted mother could do nothing, her arms being full with the other infant, and had to stand by until the terrified little boy's screams attracted the attention of two foreign women who were looking into a shop window close by. These two women immediately went to the rescue and, by striking the puller's wrists, forced him to loose his hold of the child, who ran to his mother and thence into the safety of the shop.

The whole scene was witnessed by a number of people on the top of a No. 1 bus which was held up at the intersection by the traffic signals. They had probably a better view of the incident than those on the ground level. Several of the passengers on the bus made a move to go to the rescue of the Chinese family, but they might have been wild animals in a cage for all the hope they had of getting out of the vehicle.

This was probably fortunate for the rickshaw puller.

MR. KAWAGOE BUSY ALREADY

Plunges Into Work of His Office on Return

Plunging into the busy routine of his office within 24 hours of his return from a two-month furlough, Mr. Shigeru Kawagoe, Japanese Ambassador to China yesterday spent the afternoon in conferences with high Chinese and Japanese officials.

At 3 o'clock, he summoned Major-Gen. Seiichi Kita, military attaché, and Rear-Admiral Tadao Honda, naval attaché, to his official residence on Route Pichon for a lengthy interview during which he is understood to have discussed in detail the instructions he received from Mr. Koki Hirota, Foreign Minister, before leaving Tokyo.

At 4.30 o'clock, Mr. Hsu Shih-ying, Chinese Ambassador to Japan, called for a protracted private meeting. Mr. Hsu also met Mr. Kawagoe when the latter arrived from Japan in the m.s. Asama Maru from Japan on Tuesday afternoon. The nature of their conversation could not be learned.

Leaving some time this week for Nanking Mr. Kawagoe is to proceed to North China on July 10.

NANKING MOVES TO KULING

Nanking, June 30.

Dr. Wei Tao-min, Secretary-General of the Executive Yuan, with important members of the Executive Yuan and General Yu Fei-peng, Minister of Communications, left for Kuling by steamer this morning, thus officially closing the Government offices here during the summer months when the Government functions in Kuling. Mr. Sun Fo, President of the Legislative Yuan, is leaving for Kuling on July 3, while Dr. Wang Chung-hui, Minister of Foreign Affairs, will leave on July 2.—Reuter.

ASK FOR EWO BEER

CANADIAN CLUB DINNER THIS EVENING

There will be no official celebrations to-day, Dominion Day, but a dinner will be given by the entertainments committee of the Club in the evening in commemoration of the 70th anniversary of the Confederation. The President of the Club, Mr. P. R. M. Wallis, will entertain members of the club to cocktails in his home this evening.

PORTUGUESE ACCUSED OF OFFICE-BREAKING

George Golden, an unrecognized Portuguese, was charged in the First District Court yesterday with breaking into Room No. 107 Sassoon House, Nanking Road, at 6 a.m. June 23, and stealing from therein a calculating machine belonging to Messrs. Netherlands Harbour Works, and was remanded till July 6.

MIDGET TAXI QUESTION IN SETTLEMENT

At the last meeting of the Watch Committee, consideration was given to the question of permitting the operation of a system of small taxicabs in the Settlement. After discussion it was decided to postpone the submission of a recommendation to the Council on the subject until after the next meeting of the committee when the matter will be again discussed.

FRIENDS MARVEL AT HER FIGURE

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MUSIC AND SCREEN

MUNICIPAL ORCHESTRA

In collaboration with the Municipal Symphony Orchestra, Mishel Piastro and Joseph Schuster made their second appearance at the Nanking Theatre last night. The orchestra opened the programme with the "Anacréon" Overture by Cherubini which they played in fine style and finish.

Mr. Schuster's interpretation of the Haydn 'Cello "Concerto in D Major" was smooth and his tone was warm. He did interesting things with tempi, using rather more rubato than is usually done but with such skill that the result was very gratifying.

The Tschaikowsky Violin "Concerto in D" received a wonderful reading by Piastro. It was filled with brilliance and glow. There was a breadth and sweep which was thrilling. The first movement in particular had marvelous scope and beauty.

For the second part of the programme the Brahms Double Concerto for Violin, 'Cello and Orchestra was played. It is a composition seldom heard which is a pity because it is so entirely lovely. It would be difficult to find two artists more perfectly balanced than these two or with a greater similarity in understanding and interpretation. The result was a profound performance.

The audience was most appreciative and responsive and were rewarded with an encore which will stand out in the memories of every one present as a perfect gem. They played the Handel "Passacaglia" without accompaniment. It was finished to an unbelievable degree with the most exquisite shading possible and flawless phrasing.—O.M.

BAND PROGRAMME

The following Brass Band concert will be given by the Municipal Orchestra and Band in Hongkew Park (weather permitting) to-night, starting at 8.30 p.m.—

March "A La Militaire" .....Hume
Overture "Lustspiel" .....Keler Bela
Selection "The Merry Widow" ..Lehar
Grand March "Pomp and Circumstance" .....Elgar
Selection "Merry England" ....German
Idyll "Hiawatha" .....Moret
Patrol "Kentucky Patrol" .....Kaps
"Reminiscences of Scotland ....Godfrey

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Via **Hongkong:**—ZBW3, 31.49.

Berlin, Germany:—From 19.00 to 24.00 DJB, 19.74; DJE, 16.89; DJN 31.45 DJQ, 19.63. N.B.—At 22.00. News in English over DJE-N-Q in Netherlandish over DJB.

Rome, Italy:—From 19.43 to 21.20, and 22.00 to 23.30, 2RO, 25.4.

Victoria, Australia:—From 16.30 to 21.30. VK3LR, 31.34.

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Manila, P.I.:—From 6.30 to 9.00 and 19.00 to 23.00, KZRM, 25.38, 31.35; Sundays, 18.00 to 24.00 (Testing at present; regular broadcasts from July 15).

America:—High-lights of the short-wave programmes from the United States are incorporated where they fall within the hours of local reception the figures following the various items give the wave-length of that particular programme.

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12.30 "Pigs" (D)
12.45 "Lick and Stick (D)
13.15 BBC Empire Orchestra (D)
13.15 Tennis: Wimbledon*; Golf: Ryder Cup* (D)
13.55 News (D)

18.45 Cinema organ (D)
19.00 Melbourne prog. (V), Concert (B)
19.15 Troc. Cinema Orches. (D)
19.30 "Londoner at Home," 26 (D)
19.43 Varied, till 21.20 (B)
20.00 Violin/piano recital (D), News (B), (P), 31.3 (BO)
20.15 Concert, from Toulouse (P)
20.25 News, 19.5 (S)
20.30 News (V)
20.40 "Food for Thought" (D)
20.45 Talk on French Events (P)
20.55 News, 16.8 (NY)
21.00 News in Ger. (B), Silver Serenade, 13.9 (PT), Concert, from Rennes (P)
21.15 Programmes talk (D), "Music of Youth" (P), News, 13.9 (NY)
21.30 News (D), in French (P)
21.45 Magazine review (B)
22.00 News (B), Talk (P), Rome, till 23.30: News, opera, etc.
22.15 Talk: V. Sackville-West (D), Sound pictures (B)
22.30 Tennis: Wimbledon (D), Talk (B), Poetical broadcast: "Fire" (P)
22.40 News, 13.9 (NY)
22.45 "Susan's Secret" (B)
22.55 News, 19.5 (S)
23.00 Concert (P), News, 16.8 (NY), 19.7 (PT), 31.3 (BO)
23.45 Talk in English (B)
00.15 News (D), in French (P)
00.25 Programme talk (D)
00.50 BBC Dance Orchestra (D)
01.00 Gramophone records (P), News, 19.7 (PT), 31.3 (BO)

Art and Culture

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Thursday, July 1

12.20—14.00.—Moonlight on the Colorado, Je suis à toi je t'appartiens, Ideale, But where are you, Papillon d'or, Tengo Miedo, Chaviré, Toujours et pour tout, Requiem de amor, Viens ou l'amour est un caprice, Bulletin Météorologique.

La Symphonie Fantastique (Berlioz): Marche au supplice, Un bal, Songe d'une nuit de Sabbat, Ronde d'une nuit de Sabbat.

Le chirurgien du Roi s'amuse (A. Mortier): Fantaisie.

L'arbre de Guernica, Il n'y en a pas deux comme moi, Dix-neuf ans, Si j'aime Suzy, Parce que je vous aime, Pour ton bonheur, Elle s'appelle Ninon, Ah! mon Dieu quelle aventure, Mister Bondy.

18.50—20.00.—Les deux coeurs, La Glu, La voix des chênes, Matia Plana, Le chant de nos cloches, Son de guitare, Gardez vos coiffes blanches, Célèbre sérénade, Un deux trois quatre, Je vous ai tant aimée, Bulletin Météorologique. *Revue de la Presse.*

Carnaval de Vienne (Joh. Strauss) *Piano*, Der Oberstelger (Carl Zeller); pot pourri, Victoire et son hussard (P. Abraham): Fantaisie.

Je ne me souviens que de vous, Nere Osaba, Chère petite chose, Le dernier arlequin, Une tasse de thé, Dans ses bras, Conchita, Clavenes de España, Elégie, Le bel amour, Raffero.

21.00—21.15.—Causerie de Madame Claude Rivière: Revue des livres: "Le gardien d'épaves" de Robert de Francis.

21.15—23.00.—Wagner: Siegfried (Opéra entier).

REBELS RETREATING FROM JARAMA

Attempts on Madrid Defence Lines Abandoned

Madrid, June 30.

Heavy insurgent attacks on the Jarama front in the past four days failed to break Government lines. The rebels have now given up their efforts and have retreated, leaving many casualties and much war material.—Reuter.

Rebel Success in Biscaya

Salamanca, June 30.

The capture of Val Maseda, an important centre of communications fifteen miles west of Bilbao, was claimed to-day in an insurgent communique which says 500 prisoners were taken and the lead and tin foundries at Lanevera occupied.—Reuter.

Plea for Medical Aid

Hendaye, June 30.

Basque officials at Santander to-day appealed to France to rush warships to Santona to rescue 2,000 officials and Republican functionaries and their families. Dr. Juan Acquirre pleaded for medical supplies and doctors as gangrene and pneumonia were spreading among 12,000 wounded militiamen.—United Press.

British Aid to Refugees

London, June 29.

Mr. Anthony Eden in the House of Commons to-day stated he was in touch with the French Government regarding British naval protection of ships bringing away refugees from Santander. Britain could only give this protection so long as France undertook to receive the Basques. He was awaiting the French proposals.—Wireless through Reuter.

MR. EDEN ON CHINA OBLIGATIONS

Full Settlements Reached on London Issues

London, June 30.

In response to Mr. Harry Day, Labour member of Central Southwark, who sought information regarding Chinese obligations, Mr. Anthony Eden, the Foreign Secretary, said that settlements had been reached in all negotiations relating to Chinese loans, secured and partially secured, issued in London.

He had no information, Mr. Eden declared, concerning any negotiations for the settlement of defaults or other Chinese obligations.—Reuter.

HOW RICH AMERICANS SAVE INCOME TAX

Congress Committee Told of Wealthy Tax Dodgers

Washington, June 29.

Treasury officials to-day told the joint Congressional committee investigating income-tax evasion and avoidance that Mr. Henry L. Doherty, public utilities magnate, had saved $160,000 in taxes in a single year by operation of a personal holding company.

They said Mr. Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., President of General Motors Corporation, and his wife had similarly saved nearly $2,000,000 in three years.

The officials also named Mrs. John J. Raskob, wife of the former chairman of the Democratic National Committee, Mrs. Wilhelmina DuPont and Mr. Charles McManus, President of the Crown Cork and Seal Co., as persons who had escaped tax payment by establishment of personal holding companies.—United Press.

U.S. FLIERS MAY MAKE ROME FLIGHT

Los Angeles, June 30.

American fliers, Messrs. Dick Merril and Jack Lambie, who made the spectacular dash across the Atlantic in May for pictures of the Coronation, said yesterday that if they could get the permission of the Department of Commerce, they would try a non-stop flight from New York to Rome at the end of July. Then they will compete in the French Air-Ministry's prize race from Marseilles to Damascus and back to Paris.—Havas.

HOUSE APPROVES HUGE RELIEF BILL

Washington, June 29.

The House of Representatives to-day adopted the report of the joint House and Senate conference on the $1,500,000,000 relief bill including two-year extension of the Public Works Administration for which $359,000,000 is provided. The Bill was then sent to the White House for the President's signature.—United Press.

MR. ROOSEVELT OFF TO SON'S WEDDING

Washington, June 29.

President Roosevelt leaves by train to-morrow morning for Wilmington, Del., to attend the wedding of his son, Franklin, to Miss Ethel DuPont. After attending the wedding he will go to Hyde Park, N.Y., for a week.—United Press.

Bride Late at Rehearsal

Wilmington, Del., June 29.

Miss Ethel DuPont was 56 minutes late to her wedding rehearsal here to-day. She defied superstition by taking part in the practice ceremony. Her fiancée to-day presented her with a wedding present of a diamond star and sapphire studded bracelet set in platinum.—United Press.

FLOTSAM ON THE TIDE OF WAR

With the fear of death by shell, bomb, or gas absent for the first time in many months, the children pictured above, some of the 4,000 evacuated from Bilbao, are shown safe in an English refugee camp near Southampton. Note the Salvation Army officer in the background supervising the distribution of food.

KING GEORGE OPENS SCULPTURE HALLS

Tate Gallery Authorities Congratulated

London, June 29.

The King and Queen drove to-day from Buckingham Palace in an open landau drawn by four Windsor greys to the Tate Gallery, where the King opened the new sculpture halls, which are a gift of Lord Duveen.

The King, in a brief speech, described the new halls as the finest in the world and congratulated the Gallery, which owes its origin to private generosity, on the fact that benefactors had always been ready to subscribe towards the extension of its scope.—Wireless through Reuter.

PRINCE CHICHIBU BIDS FAREWELL

Chain of Victorian Order Bestowed by King

London, June 29.

Prince Yasuhito Chichibu was the guest of honour at a farewell luncheon at Buckingham Palace to-day, given by King George VI and Queen Elizabeth.

The Prince, who represented Emperor Hirohito at H.M. Coronation on May 12, expressed thanks for the reception accorded him during his stay in England. After luncheon, Prince Chichibu was decorated with the Chain of the Royal Victorian Order.—Domei.

LINDBERGH TRAGEDY RECALLED

Newark, N.J., June 30.

The Lindbergh tragedy was recalled to-day when Ellis H. Parker was sentenced to six years' imprisonment and his son, Ellis Parker, Jr., to three years for having plotted to abduct Paul Wendel, a retired lawyer who "confessed" to complicity in the Lindbergh baby kidnapping.—Reuter.

JAPAN AGAIN SHIPS GOLD TO U.S.

Kobe, June 30.

With gold bullion valued at Y.15,000,000, the ms. Kamikawa Maru left here this afternoon for Los Angeles.—Domei.

NOVA SCOTIA'S LIBERAL GOVERNMENT

Halifax, Nova Scotia, June 29.

The Liberal Government of Nova Scotia was re-elected to-day by a sweeping majority.—United Press.

FOREST FIRE ENDANGERS BALMORAL

Aberdeen, June 30.

A raging forest fire to-day threatened the ancient castle of Balmoral.—United Press.

TRY PRICE'S GINS

DRAGON FISH ARRIVE AT THE ZOO

Veteran's Peace Rudely Disturbed

Four dragons have arrived at the London Zoo.

Not the thunderous, fire-eating dragons of folklore, but peaceful, inoffensive fish from the East Coast of Africa. Nevertheless, their arrival, complete with scarlet and grey waving wisps of fins, has created a stir in the Aquarium.

Most disturbed as he watched the newcomers inspecting their tank, was the Zoo's veteran Dragon Fish, who has been in solitary possession for more than a year. Not only had the four, who are close friends after their trying voyage in a tank, disturbed his peace, but they had also taken possession of his favourite rock.

Glowering, he paced up and down the far end of the pool like a clubman who has had his chair taken by a new member. The intruders, secure in their numbers, gazed at him placidly.

"It's not only the fact that he has to share his tank which is annoying him" said his keeper with sympathy, "but I think he is afraid that he will have to share his food as well. Of course, he won't, but he doesn't know that, and he eats 12 shrimps or minnows a day.

"They will pal up in time I hope, as we are very glad to get the new fish. Colonel E. T. Peel, the well-known tunny angler, caught them by putting on a diving suit and chasing them in 10 feet of water."

Next door the Aquarium's two characters, Bertram, the Spotted Puffer Fish, who swells to the size of a football when angry, and the Trigger Fish from Madeira, also looked annoyed. Bertram, half inflated, peered gloomily from a hole in a rock; the Trigger Fish had hooked himself by his trigger to a projecting spur, a sure sign that he was put out.

"You see, they know the dragons have arrived," said the keeper, "and being old inhabitants here of some two years standing, they don't like it."

TWO OVERSEAS BISHOPS RESIGN FROM POSTS

The resignations are announced of two overseas Bishops—the Rt. Rev. E. A. L. Moore, Bishop in Travancore and Cochin since 1925, and Dr. Cecil Wilson, Bishop of Bunbury, Western Australia, since 1917.

Bishop Moore, who is in his 67th year, states in a letter to his diocese, which has an area of 8,955 square miles, that the work now demands a younger and more vigorous hand.

Dr. Wilson, who is 76, is the senior Bishop of the Church in Australia in point of consecration. As a young man, he played cricket for Cambridge and Kent, and was invited to join an England team which visited Australia, but was unable to accept.

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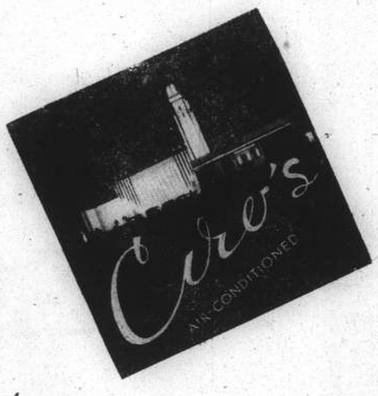

HENRY NATHAN'S CIRO'S ORCHESTRA

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HYPOCRITIC LIFE OF STUDENT

Imposed on Clergymen and Women

CARNEGIE FUND GRANT STOPPED

Haim Hillel de Medolliers Nathanson, sent to London from South Africa by the Carnegie Fund to do Scriptural research at the British Museum, was accused in the Bankruptcy Court recently of "hypocrisy" in connection with a letter he wrote to a young woman.

From this woman, Miss Stokes, an art student said to be dependent on an allowance from her family in Australia, Nathanson, who is 31 years old, was said to have borrowed a total of £276.

Mr. S. W. Hood, Official Receiver, suggested the letter contained a threat of suicide to obtain money. It ran:—

"Even I, who have borne so much with courage and fortitude, have limits, and I feel there is not much more I can bear. Will a way open up for me, or will it be that way along which there is no return?

"Pain, sufferings, humiliation, bitterness and sorrow have I suffered in body and soul. Had I but the courage, the course would be quite obvious.

"I had to make use of the blank cheque you gave me when the deal did not come off this afternoon. What a drain I am!"

The Official Receiver commented: "There is only one way you could interpret this—rank hypocrisy. After that letter you had about another £120 from Miss Stokes?"

"I don't know the amount," replied Nathanson.

The Official Receiver suggested that while he was borrowing from Miss Stokes he knew his grant from the Carnegie Fund had been stopped because he had failed to carry out certain commissions.

"I was negotiating for the resumption of the payments," was the reply.

Nathanson said he had obtained a loan which the Bishop of Willesden had agreed to wipe out as a bad debt. The bishop had said: "The only thing is to pay everybody else who cannot afford to lose."

Nathanson was also questioned about fourteen loans he was said to have obtained from a Mrs. Sinclair Ross, totalling £180 7s. "She was very kind to me," he said.

The Official Receiver said Mrs. Ross would not have advanced this money if she had not been under the impression Nathanson was getting £400 a year for three years from the Carnegie Fund.

Friends in South Africa were making efforts to get money from Sir Abe Bailey for him, said Nathanson. A Miss Gibbon, of Liverpool, had been trying to find money for him from Lady (Percy) Bates to enable him to complete a life of her husband. In fact, he was not writing these memoirs.

He agreed that in 1931 a bankruptcy order was made against him in Capetown, and in connection with this he was prosecuted for fraud connected with charity money, and bound over.

He denied he once invited forty clergy to an "At Home" at his address in Holmefield Court. He was not the organizer, he said, but merely loaned his premises.

The Official Receiver, adjourning the examination, said: "You have been imposing on clergymen and women and living a life which I suggest is a life of hypocrisy . . . in the borderland of fraud and hypocrisy."

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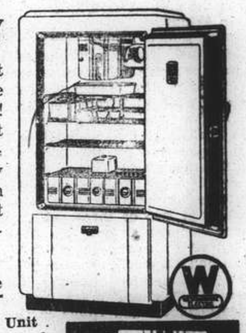

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U.S. OPEN CHAMPION GULDAHL THRASHES ALFRED PADGHAM

Britain's 1st Cup Loss on Home Soil Likely: Americans Win Foursomes and Hold Singles Command at 18th

PERRY'S GREAT DUEL WITH SARAZEN

London, June 30.

FOLLOWING their victory in the foursomes by 2½ to 1½ matches the American Ryder Cup team continued to show a slight edge in the singles this morning to obtain a lead in four matches at the end of 18 holes. Of the remainder, one ended all square.

Conditions this morning at Southport were awful. A torrential rain fell throughout, and by lunch time pools had formed on the greens despite a sandy sub-soil.

The most dramatic battle of the morning was that between Percy Alliss and Sarazen. The Briton lost four of the first five holes, but this failed to discourage him, and in one of the most thrilling rallies witnessed at Southport he levelled matters at the 16th and then won on the last green to take the lead. Alliss received a thunderous ovation for his courageous fight.

Results of the singles after the first 18 holes were:—

Ralph Guldahl, American Open champion, six up against Alf Padgham, British Open champion;
S. L. King (Britain) and Denny Shute (America), all square;
Dai Rees (Britain), one up against Byron Nelson (America);
Henry Cotton (Britain), two up against Tony Manero, 1936 American Open champion;
Percy Alliss (Britain), one up against Gene Sarazen (America);
Sam Snead (America), two up against R. Burton (Britain);
Ed Dudley (America), two up against A. Perry (Britain); and
H. Picard (America), one up against A Lacey (Britain).

Details of the various matches at the half way mark were:

Rees v. Nelson

Dai Rees (G. B.), who finished one up on Nelson, staged a great finish with glorious approaches and putting, winning four of the last five holes and halving the others.

The Welshman made a poor start, missing a two-foot putt at the first. Nelson was penalized at the 11th, where he accidentally moved his ball. The rain was so bad that a new hole was dug at the 18th. Scores by holes:

Rees
4 5 5 4 4 5 5 2 5 5 5 5 5 4 3 5 4 4=79
Nelson
4 5 5 5 4 4 4 3 4 4 6 4 4 6 3 6 5 5=81

Cotton v. Manero

The match between Cotton (G. B.) and Manero, last year's American open champion, was an up and down affair before the Briton managed to obtain a clear lead of two holes and keep it.

Cotton became two up at the 16th, where the American picked up his ball and conceded the hole to his opponent.

Manero made a shaky finish. The Englishman sought accuracy rather than length as regards driving, which paid as the American's drives were wild.

The tale of their struggle is contained in the following figures:

Cotton 4 4 4 4 5 5 4 4 5
4 4 4 4 3 4 4=71 for 17 holes
Manero 3 5 5 4 5 5 5 3 5 3
5 4 4 4 3 4 4=71 for 17 holes

Guldahl v. Padgham

The battle between the British and American Open champions this morning was a one-sided affair. Guldahl, who finished six up, was deadly with his irons and made many lovely long approaches.

Padgham, on the other hand, allowed his weak putting to upset the rest of his game.

The following tells how they played this morning:

Guldahl
3 5 4 5 4 3 3 4 4 4 5 3 4 4 3 5 5 5=73
Padgham
3 6 4 4 4 4 4 5 4 4 4 6 4 4 6 5 5=80

King v. Shute

Sam King (G. B.) and Denny Shute, who ended all square, staged a reckless battle, both making several screaming drives. On the outward journey Shute was weak on the greens, where his opponent excelled, but the position was reversed on the homeward trip, during which the American holed out from 25 yards at the 12th and from 12 yards at the 16th.

The struggle was a ding-dong affair, as is borne out by the following figures:

King
3 3 4 3 5 4 4 3 5 5 4 4 4 4 3 5 5 4=72
Shute
3 4 4 4 5 3 3 3 6 5 4 3 3 5 4 4 5 4=72

Alliss v. Sarazen

Percy Alliss, (G. B.), who finished one up, was wildly cheered at the end of the morning's play for his great recovery against the former British and American open Champion. He was four down after the first five holes, but fought back strongly and obtained his lead by winning the last hole.

The American's long game early in the match was magnificent, but it later tailed off, as also did his putting.

The figures of the dramatic battle are:

Alliss
3 5 4 5 5 4 4 3 4 4 4 5 4 4 3 5 5 4=75
Sarazen
2 4 3 5 4 5 4 4 5 4 4 3 5 4 3 6 5 5=75

U.S. Foursomes' Triumph

London, June 30.

Although considerably handicapped by a strong wind, the United States struck the first blow in the defence of the Ryder Cup at Southport yesterday by emerging victorious in the foursomes by two matches to one, with one halved. The results were:

Ed Dudley and Byron Nelson (America) beat Henry Cotton and Alfred Padgham (Britain) by 4 and 2;

Percy Alliss and R. Burton (Britain) beat Henry Picard and Johnny Revolta (America) by 2 and 1;

R. Guldahl and Tony Manero (America) beat Arthur Lacey and W. J. Cox (Britain) by 2 and 1; and

Charles Whitcombe and Dai Rees (Britain) finished all square against Gene Sarazen and Denny Shute (America).

The result was a complete reversal of the morning's form, when not a single American pair was in the lead after the first 18 holes. A driving finish in the afternoon, however, gave them two matches and a half in another.

Generally, all British players were erratic in the afternoon. Putting was their main strength.—Reuter.

Snead v. Burton

The putting of Snead, who finished two up, kept him on a level with Burton (G. B.) whose iron shots were generally superior. Towards the end the Briton found the bunkers while his approaches deteriorated. On the other hand, the American was as steady as a rock. The hole by hole play was:

Snead
3 4 5 4 5 4 4 2 5 4 4 5 4 4 3 5 5 4=74
Burton
3 4 4 5 5 4 4 3 4 4 4 4 5 4 3 7 5 5=77

Dudley v. Perry

Perry (G. B.), who finished two down, hit a spectator with his drive to the first hole, but fortunately no serious injury was done. Perry was the British open winner of 1935.

The Englishman's driving continued uncertain all morning. However, Dudley's approaches were weak, and he was unable to take advantage fully of the Englishman's lapses.

Dudley
4 5 4 4 5 4 4 4 4 4 4 3 4 4 3 5 5 5=75
Perry
2 5 4 4 4 5 5 3 4 6 3 4 6 4 4 5 5 4=77

Picard v. Lacey

Picard, who ended one up, and Lacey (G. B.) staged a ding-dong fight, but the American improved as the former deteriorated.

The progress of their match is eloquently told in the following figures:

Picard
3 5 4 4 5 5 5 3 4 4 4 3 4 4 3 6 4 4=74
Lacey
3 4 4 4 6 4 3 3 5 4 4 4 4 4 4 5 5 4=74

STOP PRESS

America Wins Ryder Cup

Padgham Spreadeagled by Guldahl

London, June 30.

The first singles verdict at Southport told of a sorry British reverse. Ralph Guldahl, recent American open winner, beat Alfred Padgham, the reigning British open champion, by the huge margin of eight and seven.—Reuter.

WIMBLEDON WINNERS

Miss Dorothy Round

Miss Alice Marble

SHANGHAI SENIOR LEAGUE TENNIS

County Athletic Club Crush Country Club, 13-2

CERCLE SPORTIF AND RECS' CLOSE GAME

What was expected to be a close tussle turned out a run-away victory for the formidable County Athletic Club squad in their engagement with the Country Club in yesterday's first division Tennis league series. The losers neatly trimmed the Japanese Tennis Club 12-3 last week, in view of which were expected to create some stiff opposition for the powerful Chinese combination, but last season's senior champions smashed their way through to a decisive 13-2 victory to give promise of repeating their last year's prowess.

Matches Postponed

Due to pressure of work at the banks for the half-year ending many matches had to be postponed to next Friday, including one match in the senior division, Clube Lusitano v. Columbia Country Club, and four in the junior league, A.S.F. v. J.A.C. "A", Bramtoco v. Japanese Tennis Club, Cercle Sportif Francais v. Clube Lusitano, and J.A.C. "B" v. Swiss Club. Also one match remained unplayed between the Shanghai Cricket Club and the Japanese Tennis Club in the first division, to be played off on Friday.

In the senior league series the Cercle Sportif Francais just managed to take the Recs by eight sets to seven, while the Japanese Tennis Club took a 7-5 lead from the Cricket Club in the four matches played. Green who impressed so well in his initial appearance for the latter side, yesterday partnered Forbes to play first couple, and the two teamed up favourably to defeat Sudo and Amemiya in two of three sets. Another new combination for the Cricket Club proved highly successful as Godkin and Kimber, former members of the now defunct Rowing Club league side, showed great form to trounce Okomoto and Ishida in three straight sets.

In the second division the Russian Tennis Club did very well to beat the Recs 10-5, but until the results of the matches to be played by the Japanese Tennis Club v. Bramtoco, and the A.S.F. v. J.A.C. "A" on Friday become known the extent of their advance in the league standings must remain uncertain.

Detailed results:—

First Division

C.S.F. 8; Recs 7

Meise and Berents beat P. Madar and H. Madar 6-4, 6-3, 6-3.
Krenov and Goulmy lost to A. A. White and C. J. Smith 5-7, 6-2, 2-6.
Coulcher and Taylor beat Allen and Marshall 4-6, 6-3, 6-0.
A. V. White and Segalen lost to Hawks and Kermani 7-5, 3-6, 6-3.
J. Marshall and Johnson lost to Wade and Wilson 1-6, 2-6, 6-4.

Japanese 7; S.C.C. 5
(one match unfinished)

Sudo and Amemiya lost to Forbes and Green, 6-3, 6-2, 6-3.
Tagami and Kimura beat Honey and Alers, 6-3, 1-6, 7-5.
Ameno and Ohta beat Read and Frame, 6-1, 6-1, 6-2.
Okomoto and Ishida lost to Godkin and Kimber, 3-6, 1-6, 2-6.
Noguchi and Matsunaga to play Bridge and Conroy on Friday.

County Athletic Club 13; Country Club 2

Ho and Ma beat White and Whatman, 6-3, 6-4, 6-3.
Chang and Tsou beat Welch and Du Pac de Marsoulies, 6-0, 6-1, 6-1.
Ku and Treng lost to Avery and Cassels, 5-7, 3-6, 6-2.
Choy and Sze beat Seddon and Livingstone, 6-4, 6-4, 6-0.
Loo and Tong beat Bichard and Lambert, 6-2, 6-3, 6-1.

Second Division

Russian T.C. 10; Recs 5

Ouskoff and Tifontai lost to Brodd and Noodt, 4-6, 5-7, 1-6.
Butenko and Fumagalli beat Hayward and Murray, 6-2, 6-3, 3-6.
Kuznetzoff and Stepanoff beat Aldeguer and Burgoyne, 6-2, 6-0, 6-2.
B. Petroff and S. Petroff beat Harris and Davie, 4-6, 6-4, 6-2.
Indrickson and Fomishkin beat Kew and Kermani, 6-3, 6-2, 6-6.

German G.C. 12; Cathedral T.C. 3

Gresser and Schroeder beat Johnson and Peach, 7-5, 6-2, 7-5.
Berg and Pracht beat Parker and White, 6-1, 6-0, 6-1.
Schneider and Nimphius lost to Blackwood and Hood, 4-6, 3-6, 2-6.
Schultz and Hagenstein beat Lawrence and Cornfield, 6-3, 6-0, 6-4.
Kuelps and Rothe beat Snoad and Nalting, 7-5, 8-6, 6-2.

Sokol 8; Police 7

Stafeichuk and A. Joloschapoff lost to Bourne and Wahl, 3-6, 3-6, 2-6.
Walter and Meyer beat Ward and Aiers 6-2, 6-3, 6-4.
Nastavin and Chuklantzeff beat Pashussan and Douglas 6-2, 6-3, 7-5.
Yacub and Boiko lost to Boddy and Black, 5-7, 6-3, 3-6.
Suhatin and B. Joloschapoff lost to Turner and Shute, 5-7, 8-6, 1-6.

S.C.C. 11; Waterworks 4

Orr and Macfarlane lost to B. Pintos and A. M. Fonseca, 4-6, 11-9, 2-6.
Gardner and Golkin lost to R. O. Baker and J. C. Fonseca 4-6, 6-2, 2-6.
Crickmer and Heap beat V. B. Silva and T. M. Collaco, 6-1, 6-4, 6-3.
More and Pote-Hunt beat G. B. Collaco and A. Collaco 7-5, 7-5, 6-4.
Payne and Palmer beat Burford and Leach 6-1, 6-2, 6-4.

THE SHANGHAI MIXED DOUBLES TITLE

The final of the Shanghai mixed doubles championship, postponed from last Monday, will be held on Sunday at 4 p.m. at the Association courts, Avenue Joffre.

SWIMMING GALA AT ROWING CLUB

Successful Trials for Water Polo Teams

A large crowd filled the stands at the Rowing Club last night to witness another successful miniature gala which brought out some close competition and not a little good swimming. Two water polo games took place during the evening, the first being won by Whales and the second, a trial match for the forthcoming water polo league, was won by Whites, four goals to two.

Considerable amusement was seen in the life buoy melee when W. McHugh's side won the event after a tremendous struggle, A. W. Wagstaff proving the stumbling block to the winner's, but even the latter was successfully "ducked".

Miss Vera Dodd and Miss Sybil McLorn had a great struggle in the diving for objects. After a tie, Miss Dodd won with eight plates to Miss McLorn's six.

From a large entry in the mixed team race H. Farmer's team won from Y. J. Turner's side, all three contesting sides being well in the picture. The final water polo match provided some good play, and scoring was late in being recorded, the winners eventually going ahead through Brewer and Muir, two of the most promising of the younger players. Details:—

50 yards Boys' free style handicap.—1, E. Copley; 2, P. Brewer. Time 31 sec.
One length Women's breast stroke handicap.—1, Miss Vera Dodd; 2, Miss S. McLorn. Time 27 sec.
50 yards Men's free style handicap.—1st heat: 1, R. Dodd, 2, H. Farmer. Time 28 sec; 2nd heat: 1, L. Beattie; 2, E. Muir. Time 30⅘ sec.; 3rd heat: 1, H. Eardley; 2, A. Wagstaff. Time, 30⅖ sec.; 4th heat: 1, L. Fabian; 2, Wagner. Time 31⅕ sec.
Diving for Objects.—1, Miss V. Dodd; 2, Miss S. McLorn.
Life Buoy Melee: Winners: R. Dodd, L. McHugh, E. Roper, W. Vennewitz, D. McLean.
Mixed team race: winners: G. Blown, Miss V. Dodd, Miss S. Brabner, A. Pressler, C. Hodgman, G. Forrestier, H. Farmer, J. Lumsdaine, D. McLean.
Water Polo: White 4—Colours 2. Whites: W. Wagner, L. Beattie, Y. J. Turner, A. W. Wagstaff, E. J. Muir, H. G. Fabian, H. E. Brewer. Colours: N. P. Ivanoff, A. J. Orton, S. Godkin, T. G. W. Lewis, R. Dodd, A. Pressler, W. Vennewitz. Referee: C. N. Brown.

BICYCLE CHAMPIONSHIPS IN RUSSIA

Moscow, June 29.

The bicycle contests for the Championship of the U.S.S.R. were held near Moscow yesterday. Andrey Kondrashkov won the first place for men having covered 90 kilometres in 2 hrs., 36 min., 19.6 sec. Among the women, the first place was won by Valentina Kuznetzova who covered 50 kilometres in 1 hr., 43 min., 8.5 sec.

INDECISIVE COUNTY CRICKET RESULTS

Somerset Only Combination to Take Full Points

London, June 29.

Only Somerset were able to secure full points in the Championship engagements concluded to-day, all the other games ending without a definite decision.

Both Oxford and Cambridge were successful in friendly matches, the Dark Blues defeating Sussex by three wickets and Cambridge beating Hampshire by three wickets.

Counties drawing but gaining first innings points were:—Yorkshire against Notts; Leicester against Worcester; Surrey against Lancashire; Warwick against Northants.

Batting honours went to Arnold, of Hampshire, who knocked up 172 against Cambridge. Scores:—

AT LEEDS.—Yorkshire drew with Notts taking first inning's points. Notts 191 and 346 (Bowes six for 69); Yorkshire 379 (Barber 115, Sutcliffe 82) and seven without loss.

AT HOVE.—Oxford beat Sussex by three wickets. Sussex 341 (Bartlett 99) and 230 (Warwall Smith six for 79); Oxford 225 (Kimpton 95) and 347 for seven (Mitchell-Innes 109).

AT WORCESTER.—Leicester drew with Worcester, taking first inning's points. Worcester 347 and 185 for three declared (Bull 101 not out); Leicester 393 (Smith 100 not out) and 24 for two.

AT MANCHESTER.—Surrey drew with Lancashire, taking first inning's points. Lancashire 337 (Washbrook 106) and 95 for one; Surrey 446 (Parker 77 not out).

AT NEWPORT.—Somerset beat Glamorgan by 263 runs. Somerset 189 (Clay six for 78) and 318 for seven declared (Gimblett 129 not out); Glamorgan 129 (Hazell five for 39) and 115.

AT BIRMINGHAM.—Warwick drew with Northants, taking first inning's points. Warwick 304 (Kilner 80, Croom 33) and 72 for five; Northants 98 (Mayer five for 28) and 353 for seven declared (Brookes 86, Grimshaw 92).

AT BASINGSTOKE.—Cambridge beat Hampshire by three wickets. Hampshire 316 (Arnold 172) and 265 (Yardley five for 41); Cambridge 461 (Gibb 113, Pawle 125) and 142 for seven (Heath five for 61).—Reuter.

For 16 years Jim Sullivan, the famous Rugby League full-back, has assisted Wigan, and he will continue to do so despite statements to the contrary.

New York Commission Recognizes Louis

New York, June 29.

The New York State Boxing Commission to-day announced that it recognized Joe Louis of Detroit as the heavyweight champion of the world. Gen. John J. Phelan, Chairman of the Commission, revealed that the decision had been cabled to the British Board of Boxing Control, notifying the Board also that the former champion, Jimmie Braddock, still was under suspension.

Louis' license in New York State expired in May. He consequently did not become automatically suspended when he fought Braddock in Chicago last week.—United Press.

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8	3	6	—	$319.20	,, 7-8 $185.50
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10	4	2	—	$143.20	,, 9-10 $ 28.30
11	2	1	—	$ 84.30	,, 10-11 $ 37.50
12	4	2	—	$ 52.10	,, 11-12 $ 16.20
13	6	3	—	$279.30	,, 12-13 $ 60.40
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TRY PRICE'S GINS

WIMBLEDON SHOCK: H. JACOBS VERY BADLY BEATEN

Dorothy Round Straight Sets 1936 Champion: Budge Loses Set to Parker, Then Wins

Wimbledon, June 29.

MISS Helen Jacobs, American holder of the Wimbledon title and first seeded player, was eliminated from the women's singles championship to-day in the biggest upset of the Tournament.

Her conqueror was Miss Dorothy Round, the British girl who is making a final attempt to win the championship before her marriage later in the year. The score was 6-4, 6-2.

Miss Round will meet Madame Mathieu, of France, in one of the semi-finals, while Mlle Jedzrejowska, the Polish champion, will clash with the American champion, Miss Alice Marble, in the other.

Miss Round was in tremendous form to-day against Miss Jacobs, hitting powerfully with her fore and back-hand. She hardly played a wrong shot.

The American's timing was faulty, and she played too defensively.

American Outclassed

Miss Jacobs led by 4-2 in the first set and only won the third and six games in the second.

This is probably the last appearance of Miss Round at Wimbledon, as she is certain to retire from championship tennis after her marriage.

Madame Mathieu eliminated Senorita Anita Lizana, one of the favoured candidates for the title, to enter the last four. The Chilean girl, who succumbed by 6-3, 6-3, was heart-broken over her defeat.

Miss Marble, playing a more varied and dashing game, triumphed over the stone-walling of Mrs. Svend Sperling, of Denmark, by 7-5, 2-6, 6-3.

Anglo-Japanese Successs

In the third round of the mixed doubles Yamagishi (Japan) and Miss Betty Nuthall (Britain) beat Fannin and Harman by 6-3, 7-5.

The Anglo-Japanese pair showed perfect combination.

The service and network of the Japanese was excellent, while he was also agile in retrieving and smashing winners.

Miss Nuthall played a steady game. Her service showed great improvement, although she dropped a match point. The issue, however, was never in doubt.

The Budge—Mako Attack

Donald Budge and Gene Mako, the American Davis Cup doubles team, made further progress in the doubles championship by eliminating Boussus and Petra (France) by 6-4, 6-4, 10-8.

Another formidable combination, Baron von Cramm and Henner Henkel, of Germany, also advanced, beating Farquharson and Kirby, of South Africa, by 6-3, 0-6, 2-6 7-5, 6-4.

C. E. Hare and Wilde (Britain) had an easy time against Cooper and Tinkler, also of Britain, whom they eliminated by 6-1, 6-2, 6-2.—Reuter.

Fred Darling bought Honorarium for Mr. J. A. Dewar for 910gs. as a yearling, and this very shapely filly will be a good advertisement for Colorado Kid, whose first progeny are running this season.

Austin Fighting von Cramm Desperately

Wimbledon, June 30.

Almost a miracle happened on the Wimbledon centre court today—Don Budge lost a set. It took his compatriot Frankie Parker to pierce his cast iron defense and administer the American ace's first set reverse in the Wimbledon series. In the first of the men's singles semi-finals Parker raced away with the first set to the tune of 6-2; then Budge's tennis batteries came fully into action and he smashed through to victory easily with three straight wins—6-4, 6-4, 6-1.

In the opening set of the second semi-final von Cramm and Austin were linked at 5-5, and then the German champion went on to take the hard-fought set 8-6. The German's cannonball service was one of the main factors in his capture of the second set at 6-3. Austin rallied and led 3-2 in the third set desperately fighting to equalise the score. Austin had his left leg bandaged. Special.

A 15 INNINGS GAME IN PACIFIC LEAGUE

Seals Beat Missions, Gain on Leading Sacs

San Francisco, June 29.

Squeezing out an 8-7 victory over the Missions in one of the longest games of the season, fifteen innings, the San Francisco Seals gained a full game on the Pacific coast baseball league leaders from Sacramento today.

The pace setting Senators were idle to-day because of rain, affording the runner-up Seals the opportunity of climbing a step higher toward the top position.

The fifteen inning clash between the Seals and Missions was a slugfest made even more lively by a grand total of seven errors. The Seals pounded out eighteen hits, to gain a one hit advantage over the Missions, and were charged with three errors to four for the last place Mission club.

Seattle whipped Oakland 8-4 at Seattle.

Los Angeles turned back the third place San Diego Padres 6-3. The Padres threw the game away with three errors after matching the Angels nine hits to eleven.

DETAILED SCORES

	R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	6	11	0
San Diego	3	9	3
Oakland	4	6	0
Seattle	8	8	0
Sacramento and Portland, rain.			
San Francisco	8	18	3
Missions	7	17	4
(fifteen innings)			

TEAM STANDINGS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Sacramento	56	32	.636
San Francisco	53	34	.609
San Diego	51	40	.560
Los Angeles	48	40	.545
Seattle	42	46	.477
Portland	39	47	.453
Oakland	34	56	.378
Missions	31	58	.348

—United Press.

CANIDROME RESULTS

1—300 yd. flat.—1, Nero (4); 2, Sandals (1).
1½ length.—Time, 18.45.
Win, $56.10. Places, $12.20, $10.60.
2.—300 yd. flat.—1, Loving Wild (5); 2, Bronte (1).
Short head.—Time, 18.22.
3—440 yd. flat.—1, Barney (1); 2, Ben Bo (3).
8 lengths.—Time, 26.81.
Win, $14.30. Places, $8.40, $20.
4—500 yd. flat.—1, Chihli Violet (4) D.H.; 1, Wee Wren (6) D.H.
Dead heat.—Time, 31.56.
Win, $6.70, D.H.; $8.40, D.H. Places, $6.90, $8.90.
5—500 yd. flat.—1, Wee Dell (4); 2, Our Best (2).
½ length.—Time, 31.31.
Win, $23. Places, $10.70, $10.
6—500 yd. flat.—1, Snaresbrook (4); 2, Springfield (1).
12 lengths.—Time, 30.26.
Win, $16.80. Places, $11.80, $13.90.
7.—500 yd. flat.—1, Poppyland II (2); 2, Charlie (5).
1½ length.—Time, 31.15.
Win, $26.60. Places, $10.70, $22.40.
8.—500 yd. flat.—1, Ascot Son (3); 2, Brilliant Star (6).
5 lengths.—Time, 30.89.
Win, $77.50. Places, $24.70, $28.10.
9—500 yd. flat.—1, High Glee (1); 2, Mascaroon (4).
2 lengths.—Time, 30.48.
Win, $9.80. Places, $8.40, $14.90.
10.—500 yd. flat.—1, Bowster Boy (4); 2, Dia Echo (2).
4 lengths.—Time, 30.56.
Win, $34.10. Places, $15.60, $12.10.
11.—500 yd. flat.—1, Snow Bells (2); 2, Blue Moon (1).
½ length.—Time, 29.59.
Win, $18.80. Places, $11.30, $21.10.
12.—525 yd. flat.—1, Ginger Bowster (4); 2, Luhai Rose (2).
5 engths.—Time, 31.52.
Win, $17.60. Places, $9, $8.
13.—525 yd. flat.—1, Future Pal (6); 2, Philco (3).
2 lengths.—Time, 31.78.
Win, $28.90. Places, $15.60, $19.50.
14.—525 yd. flat.—1, Roy Roy (4); 2, O. J. C. (1).
1 length.—Time, 30.88.
Win, $24.50. Places, $13.90, $12.10.
15.—600 yd. flat.—1, Patrol Leader (4); 2, Olympia (5).
2 lengths.—Time, 36.01.
Win, $29.20. Places, $15.10, $13.60.

U.S. INTERCOLLEGIATE GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

Oakmont, C.C., Pittsburgh, June 29.

Willie Turnesa, of Holy Cross, one of the famous golfing Turnesa brothers, shot a sub-par 71 here today to clinch medalist honours in the 36-hole qualifying tests of the 39th National Intercollegiate Golf Championships.

Turnesa's 71, one under par, coupled with the 75 that he shot yesterday gave him an aggregate score of 146, three strokes ahead of his nearest rival, Bobby Jacobsen, a Dartmouth Sophomore.—United Press.

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NEW ZEALAND FORCE FIRST TEST DRAW

Saved by Kerr's Splendid Defensive Innings

VISITORS 175 FOR 8 AT MATCH FINISH

London, June 30.

A stolid innings by Kerr saved New Zealand from defeat in the first Test match at Lord's against England, the game ending today in a draw.

The scores at the close were: England, 424 and 226 for four, declared; New Zealand, 295 and 175 for eight.

Things looked extremely gloomy for the tourists before tea when five wickets fell for only 99 runs, and matters were not improved by a shower during the adjournment.

England Defied

Roberts and Kerr, however, put up a stubborn defence upon resumption and they were not separated until the stand had produced 44 runs in 45 minutes.

Kerr, in the end, was 38 not out. He batted altogether for 105 minutes and made eight boundaries, seven of which were scored in his first 31 runs. Subsequently he failed to score for half an hour. He showed a fine defence.

Wallace also played his part in staving off defeat, contributing 56 in a knock lasting 90 minutes, during which he hit nine 4's. He was dropped by Robins when he had only five runs on the board.

THE SCORE BOARD

England—1st Innings

Hutton, b. Cowie	0
James Parks, b. Cowie	22
Hammond, c. Roberts, b. Vivian	140
Hardstaff, c. Moloney, b. Roberts	114
Paynter, c. Dunning, b. Roberts	74
Barnett, b. Cowie	5
Ames, b. Vivian	5
R. W. B. Robins, c. Tindill, b. Roberts	18
Voce, c. Tindill, b. Cowie	27
Verity, c. Cowie, b. Roberts	3
Gover, not out	2
Extras	14
Total	424

Fall of wickets:—13-1 (Hutton); 31 for two (Parks); 276 for three (Hammond); 284 for four (Hardstaff); 302 for five (Barnett); 307 for six (Ames); 339 for seven (Robins); 402 for eight (Voce); 415 for nine (Verity); 424 for ten (Paynter).

BOWLING

	O.	M.	R.	W
Cowie	41	10	118	4
Roberts	43.3	11	101	4
Dunning	20	8	64	0
Vivian	46	10	106	2
Moloney	2	1	9	0
Page	3	0	12	0

England—2nd Innings

Hutton, c. Vivian, b. Cowie	1
Parks, b. Cowie	7
Hardstaff, c. Tindill, b. Roberts	64
Barnett, not out	83
Ames, c. substitute b. Roberts	20
Robins, not out	38
Extras	13
Total for four wkts. (decl)	226

Fall of wickets:—8-1 (Parks); 19-2 (Hutton); 123-3 (Hardstaff); 163-4 (Ames).

BOWLING

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Cowie	15	2	39	2
Roberts	14	3	73	2
Dunning	9	0	60	0
Vivian	4	0	31	0

New Zealand—1st Innings

H. G. Vivian, l.b.w. Gover	5
J. L. Kerr, c. Ames, b. Robins	31
W. A. Hadlee, c. Verity, b. Voce	34
M. L. Page, c. Paynter, b. Robins	9
W. M. Wallace, l.b.w. Parks	52
M. C. Donnelly, l.b.w., b. Parks	0
D. A. R. Moloney, c. and b. Verity	64
E. W. Tindill, c. Hammond, b. Robins	8
A. W. Roberts, not cut	66
J. A. Dunning, b. Gover	0
J. Cowie, not out	2
Extras	24
Total	295

Fall of wickets: 9-1 (Vivian); 36-2 (Page); 66-3 (Hadlee) 131-4 (Wallace); 131-5 (Donnelly); 147-6 (Kerr); 176-7 (Tindill); 280-8 (Moloney); 261-9 (Dunning); 295-10 (Cowie).

BOWLING

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Gover	22	8	49	2
Voce	24.2	2	74	2
Hammond	6	2	12	0
Robins	21	5	58	3
Verity	25	13	48	1
Parks	11	3	26	2
Hutton	2	1	4	0

New Zealand—2nd Innings

J. L. Kerr, not out	38
H. G. Vivian, c. Verity, b. Voce	11
W. A. Hadlee, b. Voce	3
D. A. R. Moloney, run out	0
M. L. Page, c. and b. Robins	13
W. M. Wallace, l.b.w. Parks	56
A. W. Roberts, c. sub. b. Gover	17
E. W. Tindill, l.b.w. Verity	3
M. C. Donnelly, c. Ames, b. Voce	21
Extras	13
Total for eight wickets	175

Fall of wickets:—15-1 (Vivian); 15-2 (Moloney); 15-3 (Hadlee); 85-4 (Wallace); 87-5 (Page); 143-6 (Roberts); 149-7 (Tindill); 175-8 (Donnelly).

BOWLING

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Gover	18	7	27	1
Voce	18.5	8	41	3
Parks	10	6	10	1
Robins	16	3	51	1
Verity	14	7	33	1

—Reuter.

HOLLAND BEATS AUSTRIA IN ATHLETIC MEET

Vienna, June 29.

The field and track representatives of Holland and Austria met here today in a closely fought struggle. Holland took first place in seven out of the thirteen events and finally won by the close margin of 67 to 63 points. Unfortunately the Netherlands champion sprinter Osendarp sprained a thigh muscle during the contest and will be forced to take a lengthy rest. —Trans-Ocean.

ALL-DAY CRICKET MATCHES

Two all-day games will celebrate the holiday to-day for local cricketers. Beginning at 10 o'clock on the S.C.C. ground, the 2nd. Batt. the Loyal Regiment will play the S.V.C. An hour later on the S.R.C. ground a match will begin between the Cricket Club and an S.R.C. side. The S.C.C. and S.V.C. teams are:—

S.V.C.—D. W. Leach (capt.), F. R. L. Carey, R. W. Edwards, J. C. Jenkins, R. A. Joscelyne, J. B. H. Leckie, H. Meston, G. M. Mills, G. A. More, A. C. Sinclair, T. W. R. Wilson.
Reserves.—J. F. Burford, L. G. Day, J. D. Sayle.
Umpire:—V. C. Olive.
Scorer:—E. H. Anstice.

S.C.C.—E. H. Anstice (capt.), H. A. Crickmer, J. E. Fairbairn, A. Graham, R. Goodwin, L. Heap, R. Laird, J. MacCrae, E. H. McMichael, H. T. Smith, R. F. Scott.
Reserves:—L. G. Day, A. D. Sayle, G. J. Read, A. S. Read.
Umpire:—A. J. Daniels.
Scorer:—W. Marsay.

THE NEW ZEALANDERS TAKING THE FIELD

In this picture of a number of the New Zealand cricketing visitors to England are most of the team's most notable players in the just finished first Test which they fought out to a very successful draw. The players are (left to right):—J. L. Kerr, who opened both innings soundly; M. L. Page, the captain; H. G. Vivian, the vice-captain; J. Cowie, who took six good English wickets; D. A. R. Moloney, who knocked up 64 in the first innings; W. M. Wallace, who was in the fifties in both innings, and, A. W. Roberts, who produced the best all round performance of the team.

HEADQUARTERS FIND NO KINKS IN 2nd BATTALION ARMOUR

Second Marines Make Wins Four in a Row with 5-1 Victory: Winchester Sighting Well

By Owen Krause

BEHIND Bollack's air-tight pitching, the Second Battalion, U.S.M.C., raced to a 5 to 1 victory over the Headquarters baseball squad yesterday in a City League engagement. The husky right-hander let Capt. Fenton's boys down with only two lone hits which, however, were converted into Headquarters' only run, in the eighth inning.

This victory brought the Second's winning streak to four games and perched them firmly on top of the City League standings, which follow:—

	W.	L.	Pct.
Second Battalion	4	0	1.000
First Battalion	3	1	.750
Headquarters	2	2	.500
Amateurs	1	3	.250
U. S. Navy	0	4	.000

Although Bollack was exceedingly generous with passes, nine Headquarters men reaching first via this route, he was never in danger during any part of the game for his control returned in the pinches. The Second's batsmen went to work with a will on Norris' offerings, connecting for ter lusty bingles which were converted into five runs.

Bunching their hits in the fourth and eighth innings they pushed across two runs in each canto. In the ninth, another run was added through two hits and a walk. Both pitchers received excellent support from their team mates for only two errors were committed, one bobble being charged to each team.

Winners Opening Tally

First blood was drawn by the Second Battalion in the fourth inning as Winchester singled to third. Traw hit through first to get on, but was forced out at second on Potts' grounder to the pitcher. In the meantime Winchester roosted on third. Lock drew a pass to fill the bases. "Zipper" Zehr, a dangerous batter, with men on the bags, singled sharpely to score Winchester and Potts. Boles struck out to terminat the Second's portion of this inning

Headquarters' Orphan Score

The eighth inning saw Manager Beeson's men renew their attack when Bollock hit through third and went to second as Traw received a base on balls. Potts singled to score Bollack and "Man-Mountain" Lock smacked a hit to centre field to push Traw across home plate. The last half of this inning saw Bollack's hopes of a hitless game blasted. Varconie grounded to deep short and beat the throw for a scratch safety. Kiltie, however, smashed out a long triple to score Varconie.

In the ninth, Paisley started off with a hit to centre. Miles walked, and Winchester singled with a lusty smack through short to score Paisley, the final run of the game.

Winchester was the outstanding hitter of the day, collecting three singles in four trips to the plate.

The box score reads:—

2nd Battalion

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Winchester, ss.	5	1	3	3	2	0
Beeson, lf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Traw, c.	3	1	1	5	0	0
Potts, rf.	4	1	1	0	0	0
Lock, lb.	3	0	1	8	1	1
Zehr, c., lf.	4	0	2	7	0	0
Boles, cf.	4	0	0	2	1	0
Paisley, 3b.	3	1	1	1	2	0
Miles, 2b.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Bollack, p.	4	1	1	0	3	0
	34	5	10	27	9	1

Headquarters

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Teague, cf.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Winger, lf.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Norris, p.	2	0	0	1	5	0
Varconie, ss.	4	0	1	2	2	0
Bowers, 3b.	4	1	0	0	4	1
Schmitt, c.	2	0	0	8	3	0
Kiltie, 1b.	2	0	1	11	2	0
Evinger, 2b.	4	0	0	3	3	0
Givens, rf.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Forrester, rf.	2	0	0	0	0	0
	27	1	2	27	19	1

Score by innings:

2nd Battalion	0 0 0 2 0 0 0 2 1	=5
Headquarters	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	=1

SUMMARY: Earned runs.—2nd Battalion 5, Headquarters 1. Three base hit—Kiltie. Runs batted in—Zehr 2, Lock, Potts, Kiltie, Winchester, 1 each. Stolen bases—Teague 2, Varconie 1. Sacrifice hit—Norris. Bases on balls—off Bollack 9, off Norris 4. Struck out—by Bollack 7, by Norris 8. Wild pitches—Bollack 2. Left on bases—2nd Battalion 7, Headquarters 10. Umpires—Cushman (plate), Butler (bases). Time of game—2 hr. 10 min.

WOMEN'S TENNIS LEAGUE PROSPECTS

The Shanghai Women's Tennis League series will get into swing again to-day after the enforced holiday last week due to the rain. Six teams are due to clash in the senior division and ten in the junior league. The Country Club, at home, encounter the Columbia Country Club and are favoured to win fairly easily. The leaders, the Cercle Sportif Francais "A" squad, meet the Junior Athletic Club at the Hongkew Park and should take a firmer grip on the senior championship. To date they have not dropped a single set in eighteen and if they overcome the Country Club when the two clash the first division championship is as good as theirs.

The Swiss Club, who are on the top rung of the second division league standings, will encounter stiff opposition from the Catholic Club to-day. The latter are only a few points behind the leaders and will endeavour to better themselves in this decisive match. The Deutscher Tennis Klub team are also well in the running for premier honours and are favoured to do well against the Bramtoco side despite the latter's fine 9-0 victory over the weak A.S.P. "B" outfit.

All postponed matches of June 24 will have to be played off sometime during this week if the weather permits. The schedule to-day is as follows, the first named at home:

FIRST DIVISION.—Country Club v. Columbia Country Club; Junior A.C. v. C.S.F. "A"; C.S.F. "B" v. Rowing Club.

SECOND DIVISION.—Girls' Friendly v. Country Club; Cathedral v. Junior A.C.; A.S.P. "A" v. A.S.P. "B"; Deutscher T.K. v. Bramtoco; Swiss Club v. Catholic Club.

TYRO AND ARMY POLO TOURNAMENTS

Oft Delayed Matches May Be Played To-day

By "The Squire"

At long last it really does seem probable that the often delayed matches in the Tyro and Army Polo Tournaments will be played on the Shanghai ground, this afternoon.

Yesterday's hot sun rapidly dried up the ground, and the groundsman has been busy baling the water from one or two damp places and there is every hope that the ground will be in very good shape.

The final of the Tyro Cup (this afternoon's match is the semi-final) will be played on Saturday afternoon. It is not probable that there will be any other match play that day, in the Army Cup series, as all the leading American players are keeping their ponies for their great match on Monday and are naturally anxious not to tire them out in a very fast game only two days before.

As to-day is not a general holiday the Tyro match will be played first as the two teams can be there at four o'clock, and it is hoped to start the second match, between the Thrusters and the Klaxons immediately afterwards. The third match will be between Ewo and the Caterpillars.

It is hoped that Mr. Hayes will umpire at least two of the matches.

SHANGHAI GOLF CLUB STARTING TIMES

The following are the teeing off times at Kiangwan and Seekingjao for the week end. The times are given for the first two in each line: the second two tee off four minutes later.

Kiangwan Saturday
2.04 Nash, Mrs. Broomhall
2.32 Miles, Miss Mann

Kiangwan Sunday
9.04 C. A. Pratt, Mrs. Pratt/Miles, Miss Mann
9.32 Piper, Poole

Seekingjao Saturday
12.56 Russell, Brooks
1.04 Corbett, Grieve/King, Squires
1.12 Vice President/Wentworth, Farnsworth
1.24 MacFarlane, Tibble/Bell, Hill
1.32 Graham, McMuns/President
1.44 Webb, Skinner/Jourdin, Engdahl
1.52 Barry, Gavin/Openshaw, Isherwood
2.04 Captain/Cameron, Scott (Replay)
2.12 Drysdale, Sturrock/Grubb, Glass
2.24 Underwood, Grubb/Willson, Meyerink
2.32 Monk, Crowe/Chalmers, Bowler
2.44 Mair, Tippin/Way, Swales
2.52 Mrs. Grubb, Mrs. Jennings/Piper, Poole
3.32 Bryden, Tilburn

Seekingjao Sunday
8.24 Monk, Crowe/Meyerink, Lowe
8.32 Smith, Grosfils/Evans, Kay
8.44 King, Grieve/Willson, Hill
8.52 Corbett, Stevenson / MacFarlane, Laurier
9.04 Lydall, Beveridge/Russell, Dixon
9.12 Nash, Marr/Brown, Germ
9.24 Lewis, Clark/Chalmers, Broomhall
9.32 Bell, Isherwood/Graham, Perry
9.44 Captain/Ball, Jones
9.52 Farnsworth, Wentworth/Vice President
10.04 President/Rigg, Cook
10.12 Bryden, Collett/McCutcheon, Rudgard
10.24 Openshaw, Tippin/Mair, Aucott
10.32 Mrs. Germ, Miss McConnell/Mrs. Grubb, Mrs. Jennings
10.44 Mrs. MacDonald, Mrs. Grubb

TRY PRICE'S GINS

CUBS WITHSTAND ST. LOUIS ATTACK

National League Leaders Win After 12 Hectic Innings

NEW YORK GIANTS NOW THE RUNNERS UP

New York, June 29.

In the most spectacular game of the 1937 season, the Chicago Cubs to-day beat back the attack of the St. Louis Cardinals on the National League leadership.

The Cubs won, 11-9, after twelve innings of hectic play in which the lead changed hands five times. The winners used five pitchers in the course of the game, and the losers four.

Jerome ("Dizzy") Dean, fared dismally. After relieving Jim Winford, Dean "blew" his team's one-run lead in the twelfth inning and allowed the Cubs to score three times to clinch the victory. In the last half of the inning the Cardinals struggled vainly to solve the deliveries of Charley Root, but were hand-cuffed by the Chicagoan and went down to defeat.

The result sent the Cardinals from second to third place, and the New York Giants moved into the runner-up position. The Cubs still hold a half-game lead over the New Yorkers.

Giants Beat Phillies

The Giants had squeezed out a 4-3 victory over the Philadelphia Phillies. Each team collected eight hits. The game went ten innings before a 3-3 tie was broken. Youthful Johnny McCarthy, whom the Giants acquired from Los Angeles this year, cracked out the fateful single which brought Jim Ripple home with the winning run.

Detailed Scores

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburgh	2	9	1
Cincinnati	1	6	0
(first game)			
Batteries: Bowman and Todd; Derringer and Lombardi.			
Pittsburgh	13	17	2
Cincinnati	6	9	1
(second game)			
Batteries: Bauers and Padden; Vander Meer, Hollingworth, W. Brown, R. Davis, Hallahan and V. Davis.			
Brooklyn	0	7	0
Boston	1	8	1
(12 innings)			
Batteries: Butcher and Phelps; Fette and Lopez.			
Philadelphia	3	8	0
New York	4	8	0
(10 innings)			
Batteries: Mulcahy, Passeau and Atwood; Schumacher, Smith and Mancuso.			
Chicago	11	14	0
St. Louis	9	11	4
Batteries: Carleton, Bryant, Shoun, Lee, French, Root and Hartnett, O'Dea; Weiland, Harrell, Winford, J. Dean and Ogrodowski, Owen. (12 innings).			

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	3	7	0
Philadelphia	2	7	1
Batteries: Chandler, Makosky and Dickey; Smith and Brucker.			
Detroit	2	3	1
Chicago	3	6	0
Batteries: Auker and Tebbetts; Stratton and Sewell.			
Boston	2	7	1
Washington	2	8	0
Called in twelfth inning on account of darkness.			
St. Louis	5	10	1
Cleveland	7	13	0
Batteries: Hogsett, Knott and Hemsley; Whitehill, Heving and Pytlak.			

Team Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	37	24	.607
New York	37	25	.597
St. Louis	35	25	.583
Pittsburgh	33	28	.541
Brooklyn	27	31	.466
Boston	24	35	.407
Cincinnati	24	36	.400
Philadelphia	24	37	.393

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	38	21	.644
Chicago	36	25	.590
Boston	31	24	.564
Detroit	34	27	.557
Cleveland	29	29	.500
Washington	26	33	.441
Philadelphia	20	37	.351
St. Louis	20	38	.345

—United Press

A Way They Have in the Army

When Kent played Worcester on the Royal Engineers' ground at Gillingham, arrangements for the comfort of spectators were organized with admirable efficiency. Apparently the Army takes great care of its cricketers as well as of those who come to watch, but is apt to be a little reckless with its sports committees. There is a balcony fitted to the Royal Engineers' pavilion and at the foot of the steps leading to the balcony was this notice:—

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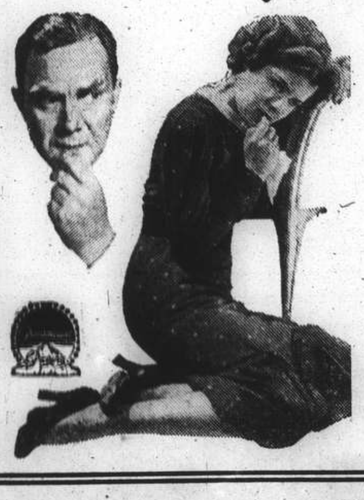

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The Tale of Miss Cinderella Movie And Prince Charming Film Fan Who Fell in Love with Her!

MOSTLY, when a Great Picture is made, it is announced with a Grand Fanfare of Trumpets, All the Twelve Letter Words in the Book being dusted off and assembled to describe it.

BUT, once in a Blue Moon, a Film comes along that even the Producers themselves fail to recognise for what it is. Such a Cinderella was "MAKE WAY FOR TO-MORROW"!

SNEAKING into New York's Criterion theatre, almost unheralded, it drew just *that* kind of business. But next day's Reviews startled even the Men who made it. Then Mr. and Mrs. Public began to take notice —especially Mrs! It became a Sell-out, remained so for days!

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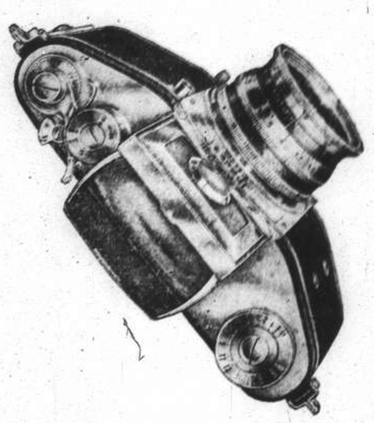

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RELATIVITY THEORY CONFIRMED

Most Accurate Test Ever Made Confirms Limitations

PETROL WARNING TO ALL HOUSEWIVES

By completing what is probably the most accurate experiment ever carried out, British scientists have confirmed the general theory of relativity.

Attaining an accuracy within a few parts of a hundred thousand millions, they proved that it is not possible by physical measurement to detect the motion of the earth through the ether of space.

The test, which is described in the 1936 report of the National Physical Laboratory consisted of comparing the period of vibration of a quartz rod maintained under constant conditions with a similar oscillator placed successively in a series of different positions so that its axis was rotated through 360 degrees.

The report also describes how the Laboratory is assisting British industry and states that a record was set up in the number of ship designs tested.

Of the 1,180,000 tons of merchant shipping, the construction of which was begun in Great Britain in 1936, no fewer than 920,000 tons, or 78 per cent., was based on the Laboratory experiments.

The 88 designs tested included fourteen for foreign builders and owners. Important improvements were made in 48 cases, and the efficiency of four ships was increased by more than 10 per cent.

Tests showed that no material advantage was to be derived by departing from the normal hull form, and extreme flare on the bow, or extremely narrow bows, gave on the whole rather worse results.

Aircraft Tests

Fourteen designs of new aircraft were examined in the wind tunnels, compared with three in 1935.

Eight and a half grammes of radium in some 1,100 containers was measured during the year. Since the beginning of this work 130 grammes, valued at £1,000,000, have been tested by the Laboratory. This is one-fifth of the world's estimated supply.

It is not always realized, states the report, that danger exists when using petrol or benzine for removing grease marks from clothing, even though there is no naked flame to start a fire.

These liquids are able to generate electric sparks by friction, and the rubbing of any fabric in a dish of petrol may produce a spark which will explode the petrol vapour and start a serious fire.

WORRY REMOVED BY OPERATION

Parts of Human Brain Disconnected

Among the scientific exhibits displayed at the annual meeting of the American Medical Association at Atlantic City, New Jersey reports the "Morning Post," is a startling new "psycho-surgery" which literally slices off parts of the brain addicted to worry and too much imagination, and leaves the patient slightly less responsive intellectually, but comparatively free from his former worries and hallucinations.

The same operation turned at will pugnacious monkeys into tame affectionate beasts, according to Dr. Walter Freeman, of Washington.

The new "soul surgery" was announced originally last year in a French journal by Dr. Egas Moniz, of Lisbon, and the results appeared to be so remarkable that the technique has now been tried in the United States in cases where all other forms of treatment have failed. It was applied to 21 mentally ill persons; 15 per cent. appear "greatly improved" and 50 per cent. "moderately improved" with one death due to the operation.

The Operation

The surgery, which is practically bloodless, is sometimes performed under a local anæsthetic. A small needle-like instrument is inserted in the brain through two small holes in the skull. Near the bottom of the instrument is a wire loop that can be expanded and rotated. As it is turned it disconnects the spherical section of the brain from the remainder of the brain in deep white matter layers.

This is performed three times on each side of the brain, resulting in the reduction of the connections between various parts of the brain but not affecting the sensory or motor areas.

Brain specialists call the area where the tissues are disconnected the "silent area," because it is the section where the "intellectuals" are carried on.

The dense structure of the nerve fibres connect this area with the sensory areas on the outer surface of the cerebral hemispheres, and it is in this area, where all the sense areas are inter-connected, that imagination develops out of the synthesis of impressions which reach the brain.

By cutting many of these links imagination is reduced. Dr. Freeman pointing out that many mental ills are due to excessive drives moving through the links.

Types of the cases for which the operation has been performed include agitated depression, involuted depression, schizophrenia, manic depression, hysteria, and psycho-neurosis. The slower mental processes do not appear to bother patients because they are no longer annoyed by inability to perform tasks at higher speeds, and thus they have lost their sense of frustration.

The twelve little spheres in the white matter of the brain, each half an inch in diameter, which are cut remain in the skull and eventually are reabsorbed, leaving a scar in the tissue.

The Grand Cross of the Order of the German Eagle was awarded to a number of Italians on Tuesday by Chancellor Hitler for services in furthering the Italo-German relations. Those honoured include Marshal Badoglio and Generals Pariani and Valle, Admiral Cavagnari, Signor Volpi and Signor Ricci. The Service Cross of the Order of the German Eagle with Star were presented to Gen. Villa Santa and Signors Corni, Pirelli and Cianetti.

CROONING CREATES CRISIS IN B.B.C.

How Often Shall It Be Tolerated?

Crooning, at once the horror and delight of millions, has precipitated a crisis in the light entertainment world.

Music publishers, dance band leaders, B.B.C. officials, radio listeners, and, above all, crooners, are in a state of ferment. The point at issue, which is far from being as simple as it might appear, is: How often shall the crooner be allowed to dominate the microphone in proportion to the number of tunes broadcast by his orchestra?

An attempt to satisfy all parties is to be made at Broadcasting House recently, when Mr. C. G. Graves, B.B.C. Programme Controller, and Sir Stephen Tallents, Controller of Public Relations, hold an informal meeting with Mr. Bruce Sievier and fellow members of the British Composers' and Songwriters Association.

One in Three

The dispute followed an edict issued by the Corporation to the effect that "as from to-day dance band leaders have been instructed to limit the number of vocal numbers broadcast by them to one in three."

The reactions were immediate—and how! Publishers complained that their sales of sheet music dropped because, not hearing the words of the songs, people did not know what to ask for in the shops. British song writers complained that band leaders, allowed a quota of approximately seven vocal numbers per hour, chose for these American tunes, British songs being broadcast without words. And crooners, naturally, complained. They said that the new rule brought them less into prominence, and that they were losing engagements.

Faced with this chorus of protest the B.B.C. quietly and politely, went its own way.

In the words of an official, expressed to a "Morning Post" representative:

"We felt that vocal numbers in dance band programmes were being overdone. Our policy in dance band matters, however, has never been inflexible, and we are always making changes and experiments."

THE WEATHER 4,000 YEARS AGO

Sorcerer's Storms and Tempests

"B.C. (? 1029)—Twanthy de Danan, king of Ireland, used sorcery, and thereby did procure such tempest, stormes, and continuall contrary winds that Divers of the principle of them (the eight sons of Gallo) were lost & Drowned."

This is one of the entries in an Air Ministry publication, about which a Parliamentary question has been asked, says the "Morning Post."

Another entry informs the curious that in A.D. 878, "it rained a shower of blood which was found in lumps of gore and blood on the plains of Connaught, at Dumha-na-n-Deisi especially"; and that on June 7, A.D. 1104, "there appeared four circles about the sun at mid-day, of a white hue, each twined about the other."

The work in question is "Geophysical Memoir No. 70. A Meteorological Chronology to A.D. 1450." It begins at 2668 B.C. (with the Irish chronicles), is compiled by Mr. C. E. Britton, of the Meteorological Office, and contains a complete list of all traceable weather dates within the period covered, together with the authorities from which they are quoted.

Sir Philip Sassoon was asked by Sir Arnold Wilson whether this work served a useful scientific purpose, and in a written answer the Under Secretary for Air says: "The memoir was submittted in manuscript to the Metorological Committee, who recommended its publication on the ground that the information collected by the author is valuable for the study of changes of climate."

The sum expended on publication was approximately £212. No other expense was incurred, as preparation of the material was undertaken by the author in his own time.

An official of the Air Ministry pointed out to a representative of the "Morning Post" that old weather records had proved their service in working out the Bruckner 35-years' weather cycle; and added that such information had also its value as showing the climatic background both of historical events and of price changes.

FIVE COUNTRIES HOLD "DUCK" CONFERENCE

Ornithologists Worried Over Scarcity of Wild Fowl

Scarcity of wild ducks and wild geese has brought expert ornithologists from five countries into action, and a sub-committee of the International Committee for the Preservation of Wild Birds recently concluded a two-day conference in Brussels, reports the "News Chronicle."

Representatives from Great Britain, France, Poland and Germany have been trying to find out something about these birds.

Although all countries have agreed on their scarcity, their approximate decrease is unknown, as is the longest distance they can cover in flight.

Like flies, they raise the question—where do they go to in the wintertime?

Found in Russia

"A wild duck bearing a British identification ring was found in Russia not long ago," Miss Barclay-Smith, secretary of the British branch and sub-secretary of the International Committee said on her return from Brussels.

These proposals will be made at the July meeting: The absolute protection of very rare birds and their eggs; the protection of migratory birds during the nesting season and during their migration in the spring; and the possibility of extending the close season.

Though all the reasons for the birds' decrease are unknown, the diminution of one of the weeds upon which they live, known as the zostera marina, has a lot to do with it.

THE KING AT THE TROOPING OF THE COLOUR

The King photographed riding to the Horse Guards Parade for the ceremony of Trooping of the Colour for His Majesty's birthday celebration on June 9.

DEVON'S CLIFFS A RADIUM STORE?

Nodules Found to Contain Parent Substance

The red cliffs of Budleigh Salterton, Devon, may provide a new source of radium.

White nodules, suggestive in appearance of a fungoid growth, which have been found in the cliffs by Mr. G. E. L. Carter, a retired Indian Civil Servant, have been pronounced by the Crystallography Laboratory, Cambridge, to contain uranium. This is the parent substance of all radio-active materials of the radium family.

Owing to the fact that radium is naturally formed by the breakdown of uranium, the normal supposition is that any rock which contains uranium also contains radium.

These new radio-active nodules were exhibited for the first time at a conversazione held by the Royal Society at Burlington House, London, recently. They are believed to date from the time when dinosaurs and other prehistoric monsters were reaching the end of their supremacy on earth.

Difficulty of Access

The presence of another rare chemical element, vanadium, in the nodules may, it is suggested, be connected with the power possessed by certain primitive fish to concentrate this element in their bodies. Since vanadium has a chemical attraction for uranium, this theory would also account for the radio-active quality of the nodules.

The reason that the nodules have not been discovered before is, it is suggested, that the base of the cliff at this point—for some distance west of Budleigh Salterton—is unusually difficult walking. Even the Geological Survey, it is understood, had been content to examine this stretch of cliff from the top. There had been no previous reason to suspect that there was anything unusual about it.

Another remarkable discovery was exhibited by the Jealotts Hill Agricultural Research Station of Imperial Chemical Industries. This is the fact that a chemical, known as indolyl acetic acid, which has the power of promoting plant growth, particularly stimulates the production of root growth in cuttings.

BRITISH ARMY DROPS USE OF SHRAPNEL

Shrapnel, which was the only projectile of the British field-gun up to the end of 1914, is to be discarded. Its place will be taken by high explosive and smoke shell.

This decision has been reached to meet changed and changing conditions. Shrapnel was intended for troops in the open and both time and percussion fuses were used.

For a "time" shell to be really effective it had to burst at the right distance and height and so produce a sufficiently dense cone of destructive particles. Otherwise it was better to burst the shell on impact so as to produce a powerful, although local, effect.

Now the Army, to a great extent, has reverted to armour and there are fewer targets for shrapnel.

Artillery experts have advocated the change for years.

MOTORIST "LIKE A WILD BEAST"

Judge Says Jury Took Very Merciful View

"You were little more than a wild beast on the road. The public must be protected from people of your sort who drive motors in such a reckless manner."

Mr. Justice Charles thus addressed John Lindsay Parkinson, aged 32, a civil engineer, of Burgh-lane, Chorley, Lancashire, a son of the late Sir Lindsay Parkinson, who was found guilty at Liverpool Assizes of dangerous driving, but not guilty of the manslaughter of Margaret Traynor, aged 20, of Burns Street, Bootle.

He said that the jury had taken an extraordinarily merciful view for some reason best known to themselves, as it was one of the worst cases he could conceive, and the jury were very well entitled to find Parkinson guilty of manslaughter.

Parkinson was sentenced to 12 months in the second division and disqualified for 15 years.

Miss Traynor was a member of a coach party travelling from Liverpool in Rainford on Easter Saturday. The coach stopped at Knowsley for passengers to "stretch their legs," and it was alleged that Parkinson's car came "like an express train" and killed the girl while she was walking arm-in-arm with another young woman across the road.

Parkinson's uncle, Mr. William Parkinson, chairman of Sir Lindsay Parkinson, Ltd., said that the accused man was employed at the new munitions factory at Chorley and would shortly have about 2,000 men under him. It was hoped that he would take over the position held by his father.

SEARCH FOR GOLD IN THE THAMES

Divers Vainly Try to Find Missing Sovereigns

Divers searched the bed of the Thames off Gravesend in vain recently for a package containing 1,400 gold sovereigns.

It was reported that the gold was lost while being transhipped from a Greek steamer in the middle of the night.

About 5,000 sovereigns were being brought to London as part payment for a steamer being purchased by a Near East firm. An agent awaited the ship at Gravesend, and had a taxi-cab ready to take the money and valuable securities to London.

The agent, it is stated, hired a Gravesend waterman to bring the packages ashore, and they were landed at the New Bridge and placed in the taxi.

When the money was counted in London it was discovered that a package containing 1,400 sovereigns was missing.

The loss was reported to the police and a wide search was made along the river front without success.

LIBERTY OF THE PRESS

Warning of Subtle Danger of Regulations

Dangers threatening the liberty of the Press were mentioned by Mr. J. A. Spender in an address to the Empire Press Union, at the closing session of the annual conference recently in London under the presidency of Major the Hon J. J. Astor.

He reviewed the position in Europe, and commented: "If I were a German, a Russian or an Italian and were asked what was the status of the journalist, I should have to answer that he had no status at all; and might consider himself lucky if he were not in prison or a concentration camp."

"I do not think that in this country we have to fear any frontal attack on the liberties of the Press," Mr. Spender continued. "The danger is the much more subtle one, that regulations of various kinds may be multiplied until in the aggregate they become a menace to liberty. Here we need to beware lest we give handles to our enemies.

"The indignation expressed at the intrusions on privacy, practised by a small section of the Press is, I believe, thoroughly will justified, but I view with misgiving the demand for legislation to deal with this abuse. To draw up a rule which would bar this offence, and yet not lend itself to the curtailment of their legitimate liberties would be extremely difficult.

Need for Discipline

"In all practices of this kind and any others which fly in the face of the general opinion of what is seemly, the profession must discipline itself if it is to be safe from official censorship.

"I rejoice to see signs that our profession organizations are bestirring themselves, and I hope that between them they will be able, as other professions do, to maintain a standard of professional conduct which will be proof against all temptations to transgress."

The responsibility of the Press, concluded Mr. Spender, was never greater than it was to-day in the countries in which it remained free. If we held our ground in the British Commonwealth, we should help others to recover what they had lost; if we failed we should bring destruction on many besides ourselves.

Sir Stanley Reed, "Times of India," declared that he would welcome a bill in Parliament to define the status of a journalists. The whole future status of the journalist depended on the proprietory element which would see that no journalist was asked to undertake a duty unworthy of his profession, or which brought his profession into contempt.

Sir Harry Britain said the complaint of intrusions on privacy was directed against a section of the Press only, but unfortunately, its action had tarred the whole of the Press. A scheme should be framed to blacklist papers which went in for "private lives" news. "From what I am told by an old friend in the House of Commons, we had better do it ourselves before it is forced upon us from outside," he added.

Mr. Alan Pitt Robbins, Parliamentary Correspondent of "The Times," stated that the feeling in the House of Commons at the moment was extremely hostile to the Press as a whole because of the delinquencies of a very few people.

On the motion of Sir Stanley Reed, a resolution was carried requesting the Council of the Empire Press Union to take Mr. Spender's speeh into its special consideration, to take any steps which it might deem necessary to raise the status of the journalists of the Empire.

MAROONED 5 DAYS IN ANTARCTIC

Six Men's Story of Southern "Sinister Bluff"

MEALS OF STEWED SEAL: STARVATION DIET

Admiralty charts of the Antarctic may soon bear a new name. It will be "Sinister Bluff," the name given to a tide-swept rocky inlet by six men who lived there for five days under an overturned dinghy with temperature far below freezing point.

These six men were among the 50 scientists and explorers who arrived at Plymouth in the Royal research vessel Discovery II., after 18 months' exploration and research work in South Polar regions. The story of their escape was told for the first time when they landed.

Early this year they were sent from Discovery II. to take observations on King George Island. When the ship returned to take them off eight days later they had disappeared, their base camp had been destroyed and such records as could be found indicated that they had set off in a motor boat intending to return after a few hours.

H.M.S. Ajax, the 6,840-ton cruiser from the America and West Indies Station, and other vessels were summoned by wireless to join in the search, but another four days elapsed before the missing men were found. Most of them were suffering from frostbite.

All of the party had lost so much weight through a starvation diet that they had been reduced almost to skeletons.

The tale of their privations began when the engine of their motor boat broke down. For five days they drifted among great icebergs which threatened to smash their frail craft to matchwood.

Once they were swept by a gale to within a few yards of the uncharted, rugged coast. Then suddenly their engine restarted and they were able to move off the shore, but by that time food and water had been exhausted, their boat was leaking and they had to take to their 14ft dinghy and land on a tide-swept shore.

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CURRENT FILMS

GRAND.—**"Love is News."**—Penniless reporter and madcap heiress form an excitingly new and hilarious angle, "Ride him, heiress," cry the rest and does she do it! Starring Tyrone Power, Loretta Young, Don Ameche, Slim Summerville, Dudley Digges, Walter Catlett, George Sanders, Jane Darwell and Stepin Fetchit. Opens to-day.

NANKING.—**"Night Must Fall."**—Lonely Epping Forest provides an eerie setting for fiendish murders in this production with Robert Montgomery in the leading role, Rosalind Russell, Dame May Whitty, Merle Tottenham and Kathleen Harrison. Opens to-day.

CATHAY.—**"Make Way for To-morrow."**—Three generations of an American family in joy and sorrow. It's the greatest down-to-earth drama since "Over the Hill," but packed with riotous, laugh-packed comedy. With a big cast of stars from the record-breaking stage production, including Victor Moore, Beulah Bondi, Fay Bainter, Thomas Mitchell and Porter Hall. Opens to-day.

METROPOL. — **"Escadrille."** — An emotional romantic role said to be the greatest in her brilliant career is essayed by Miriam Hopkins as the woman who was left behind in the World War. Paul Muni, recent winner of the award for best performance of 1936, is teamed with Miss Hopkins for the first time, playing the part of a taciturn French aviator who finds his wife becoming the mistress of a youthful observer. Opens to-day.

CAPITOL.—**"Call it a Day."**—Ian Hunter, Frieda Inescort and Olivia de Havilland have the leading roles supported by Marcia Ralston, Roland Young and Anita Louise. Opens to-day.

RIALTO.—**"Sinner Take All."**—Bruce Cabot, Margaret Lindsay and Joseph Calleia head the cast in this film which is a fast-moving murder mystery with a newspaper background. Comic moments, however, abound, including laughable incidents in the newspaper office, the baiting of the cub reporter and the mistake of the police captain on the case. Last day.

FILMS COMING

"Man of the People."—Joseph Calleia, the screen's Public Menace No. 1, makes an about-face in his new characterization here where he appears as a crusading district attorney who puts up a valiant fight against the power of a political machine. Florence Rice is the lady in the case, and the cast also features Thomas Mitchell, Ted Healy and Catherine Doucet. A **NANKING** booking.

"Kid Galahad."—With Edward G. Robinson, Bette Davis, Humprey Bogart, Wayne Morris and Jane Bryan. A gripping drama that has as its theme that every woman has the right to make a fool of herself over a man—once. Coming to the **GRAND.**

"A Successful Calamity."—With George Arliss, Mary Astor, Evalyn Knapp, Grant Mitchell, David Torrence and Randolph Scott. The tale of a millionaire who faked failure in order to win back his family from pursuits that were ruining them. Coming to the **CATHAY.**

"Mighty Treve."—Featuring Noah Berry, Jun., and Barbara Read. This offering is based on Albert Payson Terhune's story "Treve" which presents the escapades, romance and obstacles experienced by a young fellow who embarks on his first voyage on life's adventures. Soon at the **METROPOL.**

"A Star is Born."—Frederic March and Janet Gaynor are co-starred in this technicolour production. It is a glamorous story of Hollywood in which Janet rockets from extra girl to star overnight. The brilliant cast includes Adolphe Menjou, Andy Devine, May Robson, Lionel Stander, Owen Moore, Edgar Kennedy and Guinn Williams. Coming to the **NANKING.**

"Plough and the Star."—Barbara Stanwyck is starred in this screen version of the noted Irish drama by Sean O'Cassey. Preston Foster who is much in favour to-day epitomizes a virile type of leading man and is cast opposite the star in a featured role. At the **RIALTO** to-morrow.

"On the Avenue."—Dick Powell and Madeleine Carroll are co-starred, while other players include Alice Faye, George Barbier, Alan Mowbray and the Ritz Brothers. Coming to the **CAPITOL.**

"Counterfeit Lady."—Joan Perry matches wits with the perfect sleuth Ralph Bellamy in a gangster drama. In support of the two leads are Douglas Dumbille, George McKay, Gene Morgan and Henry Mollison. Coming to the **METROPOL.**

Jean Parker, young leading woman, who recently returned to Columbia's lot after an absence of several seasons, will make her first appearance under her new contract in "Life Begin With Love," scheduled for early production.

EDWARD G. ROBINSON
Who soon somes to the Grand Theatre in "Kid Galahad."

"LOVE IS NEWS"
Opening at the Grand Theatre to-day are Tyrone Power and Loretta Young (above) and Don Ameche, Slim Summerville, Dudley Digges, Walter Catlett, Stepin Fetchit and Jane Darwell.

"MAKE WAY FOR TO-MORROW"
Rated as a contender for first-ten honours this year, the picture opening at the Cathay to-day, presents a problem—players include Victor Moore, Barbara Read (above) and Beulah Bondi and Fay Bainter.

"NIGHT MUST FALL"
Robert Montgomery surprises all in his villainous performance in this film. Supported by Rosalind Russell, Dame May Whitty and Merle Tottenham, he comes to the Nanking to-day.

"ESCADRILLE"
Paul Muni and Miriam Hopkins dominate this thrilling aviation picture which opens at the Metropol Theatre to-day. Spectacular scenes are mingled with a romantic exposure.

TO DINE AND DANCE

AMBASSADOR. — Cabaret. Earl Whaley's orchestra.

ARCADIA. — Cabaret-restaurant. Kalivoda's orchestra. Astor Trio. Russian cuisine. Cover charge on Saturdays.

ASTOR HOUSE HOTEL.—Classical trio during tiffin and dinner.

CASANOVA.—Ray Alinsod's orchestra. Wilhemine Revue. No cover charge.

CATHAY HOTEL LOUNGE.—Morning and afternoon tea and cocktails.

CATHAY RESTAURANT.—8th floor—Luncheons and dinners.

CHEZ ALBRAND.—Real French cooking—dancing. Frank Arnold—Vitali and Corell.

CHEZ ROVERE.—French cooking and personal service.

CIRO'S.—Week night dinner dances. Sunday tea dances. Henry Nathan's orchestra and Bernardo Alemany and his original Argentine orchestra. Cover charge.

DEL MONTE.—Cabaret.—Cobra Trio and Marie and Austin. Ernie Kaai's orchestra. No cover charge.

D. D.'s.—Russian and foreign style restaurant. Orchestra.

JESSFIELD NIGHT CLUB.—Cesoli and Stick.

MAJESTIC.—Arevallo's orchestra.

METROPOLE HOTEL.—Grill and dining rooms for business tiffins and other occasions.

NEW ROYAL HOTEL.—Lounge, bar and restaurant.

PALACE HOTEL.—Tea lounge, snack counter and grill room. Music during tiffin, tea and dinner by a classical trio, Sundays excepted.

PARAMOUNT. — Cabaret. Gloria Andico's orchestra. Wallaby Troupe.

PARK HOTEL.—Dinner dance nightly on the Sky Terrace. Leo Itkis' orchestra. Szita and Anis—Terese Rudolph. No cover charge.

ROYAL HOTEL.—Italian dinners and wines.

RUBICON INN.—Dining and dancing. Frank Arnold.

SUN YA.—Chinese noodles, tea and snacks. Air-conditioned.

FILM ADDENDA

Alexander Korda has two new films in mind for Robert Donat. First will come "South Riding," from the English novel by Winifred Holtby, to be followed by a remake of A. E. W. Mason's "Four Feathers," which Paramount made in 1929....The word out of London is that Adele Astaire (Lady Cavendish), who has turned a deaf ear on several American offers, will do a musical film in London with Jack Buchanan....The Warners are reported to have paid all of $2,000 for the rights to the Ralph Spenser Zink melodrama, "Without Warning," which visited Broadway very briefly a short time ago....Mike Marco of the vaudeville firm of Fanchon & Marco is following his sister to Hollywood. He holds a producer's contract with Universal to make "The Daughter of Rosie O'Grady," an Irish-Jewish comedy, with Pat Rooney 2d and Pat 3d and Herman Timberg and his son as the principals....With "A Day at the Races" completed for M-G-M, comes the rumour that the Marx Brothers are considering retiring from pictures for about two years to devote themselves to the radio. The word is that Groucho and Chico will go one radio way and Harpo another. Metro's policy prohibits its players from accepting radio work, necessitating a severing by the brothers of studio relation in their return to the airways.

LAUDER IN PICTURES

There is more than a slight possibility that the famed Scottish comedian, Sir Harry Lauder, now visiting in Hollywood, may accept an offer from RKO to join Fred Astaire in "Damsel in Distress." The picture, scheduled to get under way soon, contains a minor rôle which is said to be fitted admirably to Sir Harry, and should a deal be made the part will be expanded to one of importance.

ZANUCK TOUCHES

"This Is My Affair," the new Twentieth Century-Fox picture is smudged all over with historical faces, writes the New York "Times" critic. It is an interesting fable about a young naval lieutenant (the shimmering Robert Taylor) who is secretly commissioned by President McKinley to ferret out a gang of bank burglars that had been haunting the dreams of every bank president in the Midwest. Without credentials, the lieutenant's only protection is a symbol which, written on the envelope, guarantees that his letters will receive the President's immediate attention. But when he is captured and sentenced to be hanged, and tries to communicate with McKinley, the President—you've guessed it—has been shot and is dying.

No, we're not going to tell you what happens to Mr. Taylor. We shall let the feminine contingent agonize all it wants at the notion of its idol waiting with a noose around his neck. What we want to mention are the Zanuck touches: Teddy Roosevelt (you never would guess Sidney Blackmer could look like that) striding up and down shouting "Bully!" and coining his "big stick" phrase; Admiral Dewey as growling Robert McWade plays him; Billy Watson's "beef trust" throwing their weight around on the stage of a turn-of-the-century cabaret, and Charles Rice and Fred Cady in a soft-shoe routine they must have learned when they started in vaudeville 40 years ago. Those are the best parts of the picture, except, of course, Victor McLaglen's overstuffed portrait of a man in a dress suit.

THE BATHING SEASON IS HERE
These Paramount lassies, with their comfortable surroundings, are ready for the heat of any summer.

WITHOUT HONOUR

William Fox returned to town recently and visited Movietone City, the home of Twentieth Century-Fox pictures, for the first time. Although he bought the land, the plant was not erected until after the bankers took charge and Fox was out of the company. His tour of the lot was uneventful, none of the employees recognizing him. A telling example of fleeting fame in Hollywood was noted at the airport when the former producer arrived. The plane was surrounded by photographers desiring to snap Loretta Young, who was on the same ship. The flashlight lads crowded through the group of passengers who alighted from the plane and surrounded the actress. One passenger, hoping to be helpful to the photographers, whispered to one, "That's William Fox over there." The camera man looked round, "William Fox? Who's he?"

"Doubles" of all of Hollywood's screen stars will be seen in "Once A Hero," now being filmed under the direction of Harry Lachman with Richard Dix and Fay Wray heading the cast.

DEL MONTE SHOW WITH NEW TALENT

The clever ballroom and whirlwind dancers, Marie and Austin, Australians, are now heading the floor show at Del Monte. This week by request, they are presenting their attention-compelling whirlwind dance to the music of "San Francisco." Their second number is an Argentine tango. Hensie Rogotta, character dancer and acrobat, continues to be a favourite with guests. Other artists include Viola, hula dancer, Golia, eccentric dancer, and Raffles, the Man of Mystery. Music for dancing is furnished by Ernie Kaai's ten-piece swing band. The cool, comfortable summer balcony is now open to guests.

Otto Kruger and Douglass Montgomery, two popular stars of the stage and screen, enact the two leading roles as attorneys in "Professional Juror," which starts before the camera soon.

MUSICAL PROGRESS

This week at the Paramount Ballroom Gloria Andico's orchestra, in a special novelty number, traces present-day dance music from the origin of the old ragtime to the current "jam" music, which in the United States and Europe is supplanting swing music. The orchestra takes the dance hit, "Organ Grinder's Swing" and plays it as it would have been played 25, 20, fifteen, ten and five years ago, climaxing the number in "jam" time. The singing trio of the band, composed of Miss Andico, Gus Legaspi and Ramon Olivero, is another popular feature at the ballroom. On Sunday there will be a tea dance with entertainment. The ballroom is air-conditioned.

RUBICON'S ARNOLD

A new attraction at Rubicon Inn is Mr. Frank Arnold who has just arrived from America to entertain visitors at Rubicon Inn with his large repertory of songs. Blessed with an excellent baritone voice, Mr. Arnold was singled out for special praise when he appeared here in the Marcus show.

Rubicon Inn now has a new outside bar and the extensive grounds now look like a real old fashioned beer garden, featuring the U.B. brew. The Jungle Dance Hall is open as usual and the hot time orchestra is giving the real swing music, with the guitar player coming in for special mention. With two dinners, including cocktails, served at reasonable prices the high cost of living is being kept down at Rubicon Inn, despite the rise in the price of food stuffs.

Germaine Aussey (pronounced Ohsay) will make her American screen debut in "Lancer Spy," soon to be produced at 20th Century-Fox studios.

DISNEY METHODS

The output of the Disney workshops is getting more exacting, more painstaking all the while. The increasing refinement of his product, he modestly insists, is due primarily to an expanding budget; he used to have to make the old Mickey for $2.500—not a cent more—and though he felt like crawling under the seat when he saw some of them, the public loyally stood by and guffawed him into his present organization, which rapidly approaches a major industry. Though Disney's staff has grown to 540 from an original 20 in the last eight years, it has failed to keep pace with the demands upon it, and Disney has been obliged to establish free ateliers for teaching his own particular brand of art as reservoirs from which to draw his talent.

The difficulty seems to be to find artists who are interested in motion *per se*—too many, for instance, are hampered by a slow, Flemish love of detail and cannot understand the fascination of the correct and flowing contour through space which animates the true animator. Each movement to be captured must first be broken down into its progressive stages; to give the correct illusion, a separate painting of the figure must be made for each stage. Photographs of at least 300,000 separate drawings of the figure of "Snow White" will go into the completed film. It takes an hour to make one drawing.

As a crayon-struck schoolboy in Kansas City, Disney used to watch "Aesop's Fables" and "Felix the Cat" on local screens and dream of going to New York to master this absorbing art and show them how to make cuter and funnier pictures. Then he would get discouraged and tell himself: "It's too late now. Those fellows know all there is to know." He was never a newspaper cartoonist; the nearest he got to that was being a delivery boy and truck driver for the Kansas City "Star." Mickey's comic strip celebrity came only after his world-wide success in the movies. As a moral, never to despise by-products, it may interest you to know that during the bank holiday panic, when theatres were begging off contracts right and left, it was the royalties from the toy business that pulled the Walt Disney Enterprises, Inc., through.

FREE COLD BUFFET

A special attraction at the newly re-opened Florida Night Club is a cold buffet supper, served at the cocktail bar at 2 a.m., free of charge. Catering is under the direction of Jimmy James. Florida dance music is of a high calibre and is furnished by Herb Ward's Floridans, with George Sellers at the piano. From 5 p.m. dinner music is played by a special orchestra.

FLORENCE RICE
Coming soon to the Nanking Theatre in "Man of the People."

AUTOGRAPH HUNTERS STALK STARS

Haunt Usual Habitats of Screen Favourites

Volumes could be written about the tricks and dodges of the Hollywood autograph hunter, writes Harold Heffernan, to the "Oregonian." While fans the world over are apt to display a normal amount of curiosity and fascination when they come in contact with famous personalities, those residing on the home grounds of the world's greatest movie factories become strangely afflicted with a fever that often reaches the maniacal stage.

The good Hollywood hunters never miss their prey because they hunt systematically. They know the habits of their quarry, almost as well as the stars themselves. Many have been making the daily and nightly rounds for years.

They know that, on Monday night, if they lie carefully in wait outside the wrestling matches, they may find in the in-going or out-coming crowds Spencer Tracy, Eleanor Powell, Edward G. Robinson, Bing Crosby, Al Jolson and maybe Robert Taylor and Barbara Stanwyck, along with other film devotees of the writhe-and-grunt exhibitions.

They know that the Tuesday night star-sponsored parties at the Cocoanut Grove will turn up at least a score of big names for their precious books, sometimes as many as 75.

Saturday night philharmonic concerts invariably draw Joan Crawford and Franchot Tone, together with a choice cluster of other music lovers from the studios. The polo matches on Sunday afternoon find hundreds of fans clustered about the turnstiles with open books, while on any Sunday evening outside the famous Trocadero cafe the hardy hunter may snag dozens of names big enough to make any book sparkle.

Nobody understands better than the cruising fans that Thursday is the maid's day out and that whole families of movie people flock to three or four leading restaurants to escape the possibly disastrous results of a home-cooked dinner by the lady of the house. A long queue of children, aged men and women, young and middle-aged folks, can always be found around the Brown Derby. Armstrong and Schroder's or Eaton's Chicken House any Thursday night. With so many stars eating at the same hour, the competition is frantic and some of the more earnest collectors motor from one spot to another.

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Fridays	Public Gardens,	Brass Band,	9.00 to 11 p.m.
Saturdays	Jessfield Park,	Orchestra,	9.00 to 11 p.m.
Sundays	Jessfield Park,	Brass Band,	5.15 to 7.15 p.m.

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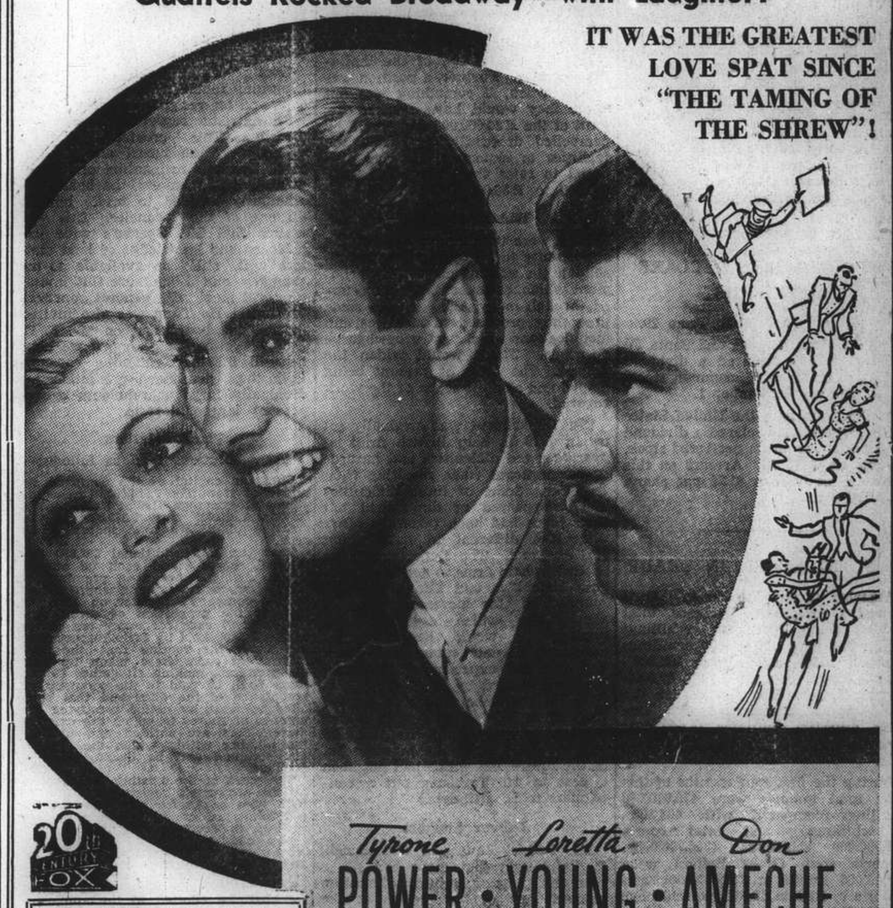

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BRITISH EXCHEQUER RETURNS

Revenue Shows Increase Over Last Year

London, June 29.

The exchequer returns show that total ordinary revenue for the current financial year to date amounts to £133,347,323. At the corresponding date of last year, the total was £121,736,656.

All items of direct taxation show increased yields and custom and excise collected to date amount to £76,539,000, as against £73,519,000 at the corresponding date of last year.

Total ordinary expenditure up to the end of last week was £199,117,221, as compared with £190,703,929 at the corresponding date of last year.—Wireless through Reuter.

IRAQ TO ISSUE FIRST FOREIGN LOAN

Baghdad, June 29.

The Iraqi Minister of Finance announced in parliament to-day that Iraq will shortly issue her first foreign loan to aid her economic development. The amount of the loan, which will probably be issued in London, has not yet been revealed. Interest will be at 4½ per cent. and £300,000 will be annually allotted for interest payments and amortization, to be covered by royalties from foreign oil companies in Iraq. These royalties will reach £1,200,000 next year. The loan would not involve foreign influence on the Iraq Government.—Trans-Ocean.

JAPAN WILL CURB HER IMPORTS FURTHER

Tokyo, June 30.

Further restrictions upon imports to conserve Japan's specie reserves, were foreshadowed to-day as the Treasury completed a draft measure to tighten exchange control begun in March. The new decree is generally expected to be promulgated on August 1.

Public co-operation in carrying through its budgetary plans was asked by the Government last night in a statement issued by the Cabinet Secretary-General Mr. Akira Kazami.—Domei.

ASEA BUYS ELECTRICAL PLANT AT WARSAW

The Swedish General Electric Co. Co. (ASEA), leading Scandinavian manufacturers of electrical equipment of all kinds, is reported recently to have acquired a big electrical plant in Warsaw, where the concern will manufacture small and medium-sized motors, transformers and other apparatus. The price paid is said to be considerably over one million kronor (£55,000 at par).

This Swedish concern during recent years has constantly expanded its activity and several companies, both Swedish and foreign, have been incorporated. The amount of orders in hand is very satisfactory and all factories are run at full capacity.

SWEDISH FIRMS DECLARE DIVIDENDS

Several big wood and pulp companies of the Swedish Pulp Co. have recently held their annual meetings and generally show increased dividends. Thus the Strömsnäs Co. reports a dividend of five per cent. against none for 1935, the Holmsund Co. nine per cent. against eight per cent. and the Skönvik Co. an unchanged dividend of four per cent. The Nyhamn and the Sundsvalls Cellulose Cos. pay no dividends. These companies have not paid any dividends for several years.

U.S. COMPANIES DECLARE DIVIDENDS

New York, June 29.

The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé Railroad to-day declared a dividend of $2 per share on its common stock, to be paid on September 1.

At the same time the United States Steel Corporation declared a dividend of $2 per share on its preferred stock, payable on July 30. Arrears on this stock are at present $1.25 per share.—United Press.

JUMP IN AUSTRIAN TRADE

Austrian foreign trade in April showed a remarkable increase, total imports being 121,700,000 schillings (compared with 100,500,000 schillings in April, 1936), and exports 102,800,000 schillings (compared with 80,900,000 schillings). The figures for the trade with Great Britain are: Imports, 6,300,000 schillings (4,900,000); exports, 5,000,000 schillings (3,700,000).

During the first four months of this year total imports were 470,900,000 schillings (compared with 406,500,000 schillings), and total exports 370,000,000 schillings (306,700,000). Imports from Great Britain were 24,000,000 schillings (18,400,000) and exports to Britain 19,500,000 schillings (13,000,000).

The Austrian Budget shows, for the first quarter of 1937, expenditures of 354,840,000 schillings and receipts of 338,030,000 schillings. Federal investments were 4,090,000 schillings.

World economic recovery has resulted in a better adjustment of leading commodities between demand and supply, resulting in a betterment of prices for raw products. Commodity prices in Canada, as a result, were eighteen per cent. higher at the beginning of May than they were a year ago. The Bureau of Statistics of the Government of Canada states that "to the increasing demand as a result of recovery, was added that from re-armament, and in the commodities most affected the price advance had taken on a decidedly speculative character. This was especially true, of course, of the metals group, but a number of others such as rubber and hides attracted a good deal of speculative interest as well."

INVESTMENT CO.'S CAPITAL TO BE INCREASED

Special Resolutions Passed by Shareholders at Extraordinary Meeting

THE capital of the Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd., will be increased from Tls. 7,020,000 to Tls. 7,020,000 and $6,879,600 by virtue of six special resolutions passed by shareholders of the company at an extraordinary meeting held yesterday at 100 Jinkee Road. A large number of shareholders were present at the meeting to vote on the resolutions, which were all passed unanimously. The chair was taken by Mr. L. J. Davies, who proposed the resolutions, supported by Mr. P. W. Massey, who seconded them.

In his speech following the reading out of the resolutions, the chairman said:

The purpose for which this meeting has been called is to submit to you the resolutions which you have just heard read.

Resolution one, provides for the increase of the company's capital by the creation of 982,000 shares of $7 each and in this connection, I wish to state that your board have given the matter most careful consideration and unanimously recommend that same should be accepted by shareholders.

New Capital Needed

For some years past, your directors have been firmly convinced of the necessity of raising new capital for the Company. There are many reasons why a new capital issue is imperative, the most important being the liquidation of the bank overdraft. I would point out that in addition to this overdraft, there are various issues of debentures totalling approximately $17,500,000, one issue of which is due for redemption in 1945.

The effect of this load of debt is apparent on reference to the accounts for the year 1936 and it will be realized that there can be little prospect of distributing a dividend to shareholders for many years to come, unless some radical change in our financial position is effected.

During 1936 the cost in interest to the company on account of the bank overdraft alone amounted to nearly $700,000 and it is obvious that if this overdraft is liquidated, this in itself will bring the company nearer to a dividend paying basis.

Every Economy Exercised

During the lean years, every economy consistent with efficiency was exercised. Amongst those economies was the reduction of renewal and maintenance expenses to the absolute minimum. With the improvement in the demand for accommodation and with some of our properties beginning to show signs of age, it is essential that we embark on some capital expenditure to make our older properties more attractive to prospective tenants.

Resolution two offers the new shares to the existing holders on the basis that shareholders on the register at to-day's date will be allowed to apply for seven new shares of $7 each for every ten shares of Tls. 5 each which they now hold. These new shares are to be offered at a premium of $2 per share.

Local shareholders will be allowed up to July 15 to accept this offer, while shareholders not resident in Shanghai will be allowed to September 15 next. The full amount of $9 per share is payable on acceptance.

You will observe that resolution three permits shareholders who have taken up their shares under the preceding resolution to apply for the shares not taken up by other shareholders in response to the offer made to them. Applications for these shares are to be accompanied by the full amount of $9 for each share applied for, and are to be in our hands not later than September 30.

The fourth resolution, if passed, will place the new shares on the same footing as the existing Tls. 5 shares and from date of allotment the new shares will be entitled to the same dividends as the old.

Resolution five enables the directors to dispose of any shares that are not allotted to shareholders. The is purely a contingent resolution and only becomes applicable in the event of any unforeseen occurrence arising.

Underwriting Commission

Your directors considered that it was essential before placing before you any schemes for increasing the capital of the company, that any proposals, if adopted, should be assured of success and it is with this in view that they ask you to pass resolution six, which authorizes the payment of a nominal underwriting commission. The underwriters include the largest shareholders on the register and I am asked to state that although all underwriters are fully convinced of the advisability and necessity for the company acquiring new capital, they do not intend to vote on the resolutions in order that the remaining shareholders may indicate their views.

I would mention that at the annual meeting held last month, it was decided to increase the number of directors from seven to nine.

Owing to ill health Mr. Chun Bing-him found it necessary to resign, and his resignation was received with extreme regret by his fellow directors. This created a third vacancy on the board and on Mr. N. L. Sparke's resignation of his appointment of manager, the board unanimously decided to invite him to fill one of the vacancies. This will ensure that Mr. Sparke's wide experience and knowledge of land matters will still be available to the company and I am sure this invitation will meet with general approval. Sir Robert Ho Tung was also invited to join the board and on Mr. F. R. Davey's return to Shanghai we hope he will fill the remaining vacancy. Both these gentlemen are either individually large shareholders or represent large interests.

The Resolutions

The resolutions read as follows:—

That the capital of the company be increased from Tls. 7,020,000, (the equivalent at exchange 71.5 of $9,818,181.82), to Tls. 7,020,000 and $6,879,600 by the creation of 982,800 new shares of $7 each.

That the said additional 982,800 additional shares of $7 each be offered in the first instance at a premium of $2 per share to existing shareholders on the company's register on June 30, 1937, in the proportion of seven new shares of $7 each for every ten shares of Tls. 5 each held by them respectively, and upon the footing that the full amount of each share taken up plus the premium, making altogether $9 per share shall be paid to the company on acceptance of the offer and that such offer be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the existing shareholders are entitled and limiting the number within which the offer if not accepted will be deemed to be declined.

That such of the existing shareholders on the company's register on June 30, 1937, who apply for and take up the additional shares to which they are entitled in accordance with the offer to be made pursuant to the preceding resolution shall be entitled to apply for any shares of the new issue not taken up by shareholders in response to the said offer and any such shares applied for shall be allotted to the applicants pro rata to the applicants' holdings of old shares as on June 30, 1937. All such applications shall be made on the footing that payment of the full amount of $9 per share shall accompany the application.

Dividend Payable

That the shares in the new issue shall rank for dividend as from the date of allotment, and subject thereto shall be issued on the footing that the holders of the said shares shall be entitled to the same dividend as the holders of existing ordinary shares of Tls. 5 each, and in all other respects rank pari passu with the existing ordinary shares of Tls. 5 each in the company.

That the directors be empowered to dispose of the shares not taken up in response to the offers referred to in resolutions two and three as they consider expedient and in the interests of the company.

That an underwriting commission of one per cent. on the full amount of the whole of the new issue of 982,800 shares at $9 per share be paid by the company.

In reply to a shareholder, who, speaking on behalf of other shareholders, expressed the hope that any development work undertaken by the company would be of an essential nature, and that there would be no possibility of the position which made this resolution necessary again occurring, the chairman stated that no unnecessary development would be undertaken, and there would be no possibility of over-trading.

EXPORT GUARANTEES AND COMMONS

Usefulness of Foreign Credits Department Stressed

FINANCIAL RESOLUTION DISCUSSED

The House of Commons went into Committee on June 11 on the financial resolution in connection with the Export Guarantees Bill. Sir D. Herbert, Chairman of Committees (Watford, U.), was in the chair.

Mr. R. S. Hudson, Secretary to the Department of Overseas Trade (Southport, U.), said that in the last four years traders in Britain had been taking advantage of the credit facilities given by the Department to an increasing extent. In 1933-34 the value of exports covered by guarantees was £7,500,000, in 1934-35 £15,000,000, in 1935-36 £20,500,000 and in 1936-37 £35,000,000. All that business had been done at no cost to the Exchequer and there had been a slight profit. At present the Department was subject to statutory limitations regarding the dates relating to credits and the total amount of the liability of the Department. The latter was at present fixed at £26,000,000.

The experience of the last few years proved that the Department could now properly be regarded as part of the permanent trade facilities available to help British exporters. He was asking the Committee to sanction the abolition of the limitations of date. Further, a position was arising when, if something was not done, they would have reached the limit of the £26,000,000 and would be compelled drastically to curtail the facilities to exporters. It was proposed to raise the limit from £26,000,000 to £50,000,000.

Widening Scope

They were taking advantage of the opportunity to bring in a Bill to consolidate the existing powers of Parliament which, at present, were scattered through many Acts. At the same time they proposed to make certain modifications which had proved to be desirable. These would widen the scope of the firms at present being helped and also the scope of the work covered.

The Department was originally set up in 1919 to help British firms to overcome the difficulties and hazards of international trade resulting from the War. Some of those difficulties had disappeared or diminished but their place had been taken by other difficulties different in nature, but just as great. The Department was needed to help firms to get over these new difficulties and also to lay the foundations for increased markets abroad for which everyone was hoping. It would be of great assistance to new enterprises which had not the experience of foreign credits possessed by the older industries. It would be foolish to deprive themselves now of a weapon which had proved valuable in the past and which was likely to be more useful in the future and which had not been a cost to the Treasury but a contributor to it. (Cheers.)

Labour Support

Mr. Pethick-Lawrence (Edinburgh, E., Lab.) said that there had never been any great divergences of opinion between any of the parties in the House about the usefulness of the Foreign Credits Department. In fact these export credit schemes had been built up by successive Governments of each party and he welcomed the present proposal for their extension and gave an assurance that there was no desire on the part of the Opposition to oppose the present resolution or the Bill which would follow it.

Major Hills (Ripon, U.) suggested that there was a case for extending the guarantees to cover goods not manufactured in this country.

Mr. O. Lewis (Colchester, U.) said that at the same time as the Committee were being asked to double the limit placed on the Government's operations they were being asked to forgo the time limit which ensured Parliamentary control. The Committee should insist that the executive did submit to control by Parliament.

Mr. Hudson, replying, promised to consider the point raised by Miss Ward and to see whether circumstances had sufficiently advanced to justify a new decision.

The resolution was agreed to.

CABLE & WIRELESS (HOLDING)

Capital Reconstruction Approved

MR. DENISON-PENDER ON FUTURE DIVIDENDS

The eighth ordinary general meeting of Cable and Wireless (Holding) Ltd. was held last month at Southern House, London, E.C.

Mr. J. C. Denison-Pender (the Governor) said that it was a source of much satisfaction to observe the improvement which had taken place during the last few months in the monthly traffic index figure of the operating company, but that represented only a portion of the receipts of the Holding company. He was glad to say that the various Governments of the Empire recognized that the time had arrived for a re-examination of the original "Charter" under which the company worked, and discussions had been taking place for some time past.

Continuing, Mr. Denison-Pender said: I now come to the scheme which the directors have put forward for a cappiat reconstruction. At the outset let me remind you of the conditions which have made such a scheme necessary.

It is essential to appreciate that since the time of the merger the whole position as regards international communications has radically changed. When the cable and wireless services were brought together it was assumed that competition would be eliminated and that, by a rationalisation of the services, all the benefits of unified control would be derived and the communication services of the Empire consolidated with mutual benefit to all concerned.

There are several factors which have produced changed conditions.

Firstly, the opening of additional direct wireless services operated or subsidised in various cases by the Governments concerned solely with a view to national prestige and irrespective of profitable operation.

Secondly, the increase in competition resulting from the fast developing airmail services.

Thirdly, of course, there was the unprecedented world depression.

Again, for various causes, the profits which it was hoped would be derived from the activities of Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Company have not materialized.

The authorised capital of the holding company was originally £53,700,000. This was reduced in 1935 to £47,246,593 by the repayment of £6,453,407 of the 5½ per cent. Preference stock.

If you approve of the dividend of 5½ per cent. on this stock, recommended by your directors, the dividend will still be 21 months in arrear, amounting to a gross sum of £1,613,784. The financial position of the company, unfortunately, has not permitted of the payment of any dividend whatsoever on the "A" and "B" Ordinary stocks. The actual amounts available from time to time for distribution to the Preference stockholders, if spread over the whole of the company's capital, represent a return between 1¾ and 2½ per cent. only.

Economies

Let me here remind you of another fact. Last year I told you that the economies effected since the merger had reached the figure of over one and a quarter million pounds per annum. This year a further saving has been realized. We have constantly and persistently explored every possibility of economy, and had it not been for the results achieved in this direction it obviously would not have been possible to have paid the dividends on the Preference stock. If you will refer to the circular letter dated April 19 you will see that the gross profits of the holding company and its subsidiaries for 1936 are estimated at £1,080,000. Against this the gross amount of the fixed dividend on the Preference stock is £922,162, whilst a further sum of no less than £1,557,588 would be required to provide the full dividend on the "A" stock. However distasteful it may be, we must face the facts. There has of late been an improvement in trade and an increase in traffics, but there is no reasonable prospect of profits approaching those anticipated when the capitalization of your company was fixed, and so providing an adequate return on the capital.

The Scheme

The directors' proposals for reconstruction have been in your hands for some weeks. I do not think it is necessary for me to repeat all the individual terms of the plan, the main effect of which can be briefly summarized as follows:

(a) The cancellation of the arrears of Preference stock dividend to Dec. 31, 1936, and the issue in full compensation of 4 per cent. Cumulative Funded Income stock.

(b) The reduction of the issued amount of "A" and "B" Ordinary stocks by £22,588,077 10s to £6,883,102 10s and the amalgamation of those stocks into one class of Ordinary stock. Of this new Ordinary stock, each "A" stockholder will receive £30 in respect of each £100 of "A" stock now held. Similarly each "B" stockholder will receive £7 10s of the new stock in respect of each £100 of "B" stock now held.

The position and respective rights of the different classes of stockholders have been clearly set out, and I will only emphasize the considerations which lay behind the scheme, reminding you that, if and when it becomes operative, the directors consider it reasonable to estimate that it will be possible to pay a dividend on the new Ordinary stock commencing with a payment of 4 per cent. for the current financial year.

Compensation for Arrears

A number of stockholders have asked why the compensation to be given to Preference stockholders for the cancellation of their arrears of dividend should have been computed at the figure of £7 6s 9d of 4 per cent. Funded income stock, being equivalent to the arreas cancelled less tax thereon, and if it is possible for them to claim a refund of tax. There appears to be some misapprehension on this point. The dividend arrears are not being paid out of the company's profits and no question of a refund of income-tax arises. As compensation to the stockholders it may be pointed out that instead of the prospect of receiving the arrears in cash over a series of years as profits became available, they receive immediately a Funded stock equivalent to the full net amount of the arrears which they can either realise or if they wish retain and receive the interest thereon until the stock is paid off by the company at par.

The question of the amount of Funded stock to be issued in full compensation of the arrears of dividend was examined carefully by the directors and their legal advisers when the scheme was first considered. It was pointed out that it would be impossible, for the following reasons, for the company to draw any disinction between those Preference stockholders who are liable to income-tax and those who are not.

Income-Tax Problem

In the first place, the company has no knowledge of each individual stockholder's income for tax purposes Secondly, were the company to ask the stockholders to disclose this information, many of them would refuse and, as regards those who did not refuse, it would be found that the actual rate of tax payable would vary almost with each stockholder owing to the different reliefs to which the individual stockholders would be entitled and to the different rates of sur-tax which they would be liable to pay.

For all practical purposes, therefore, there were only two alternatives which could be adopted:

To issue to the Preference stockholders Funded income stock to a nominal amount either equal to the gross or the net amount of the arrears.

As it is probable that the vast majority of the Preference stockholders of the company are liable to pay income-tax, it was felt that to adopt the first alternative would, looking at the position as a whole, be unfair to the company and in particular to the holders of the A and B Ordinary stocks. It was, therefore, decided to take the net arrears as the basis of the compensation; indeed, your company's legal advisers informed the directors that in their opinion the company was clearly entitled to adopt this course which in the circumstances was the proper one.

A Misunderstanding

While I am dealing with these points that have been raised, I should like to clear up a misunderstanding regarding certain figures given in the scheme circulated. If you will refer to page two you will see that the profits of the holding company and its subsidiaries for the year 1936, before allowing for income tax, are estimated at £1,080,000. When the accounts of Cable and Wireless (Holding) Limited and Cable and Wireless Limited were issued on April 29, some of the newspapers unfortunately compared this figure with the net revenue of the holding company alone, namely £942,737, and created the impression that the figure in the circular was over-estimated. This you will clearly understand was not the case. The figure given was accurate, and the confusion arose through a wrong comparison. The circular distinctly stated the figure as the gross profit of the holding company and its subsidiaries, and it was quoted to give emphasis to the total profit of the whole group as compared with the dividend requirements of the holding company.

One or two stockholders have inquired why there is no reference to the new funded stock in the resolutions being sumitted to-day for altering the Articles of Association.

The reason is that holders of that stock, as such, are not members of the company. The rights attaching to the funded stock are defined in the deed poll constituting that stock which, as mentioned in the circular, is available for inspection at the company's offices.

I confidently believe that you will unanimously support your directors in this matter, and that, as a result, the company will enter upon a new phase in its existence, a phase which it is hoped will be marked by a definite improvement in its fortunes.

Once the scheme is approved and the company is in a position to pay a dividend on all classes of its stock, it is the intention of the directors that interim half-yearly distributions on the Preference stock will be resumed.

The report was adopted, the Preference dividend was confirmed, and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting and class meetings the reconstruction scheme was approved by overwhelming majorities.

FRESH LINCS. STEEL RECORD

Still Higher Output Assured: Sheffield Returns

North Lincolnshire steel furnaces exceeded all records in April in the production of ingots and castings.

The previous record—109,200 tons—was reached in July last year, but this has been beaten with 114,400 tons, an increase of 5,200 tons. Production in April last year was 103,700 tons.

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The continuance of big outputs of steel has been made possible by the satisfactory working of the arrangements made by the British Iron and Steel Federation for the allocation of supplies of melting materials in the form of pig-iron and iron and steel scrap.

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26 coppers=10cts. silver
10cts. silver and 3 coppers=10cts. big money.

LOCAL EXCHANGE REPORT

Messrs. Drakeford, Davis & Wilson

Inter bank July delivery

	Highest	Lowest
£	1/2 7/16	1/2 7/16
U.S. G.$	29 21/32	29⅝
Yen	103 5/16	103¼

Merchant closing rates

	Cash Selling	July Buying
£ T.T.	1/2 13/32	4 m/s. l.c. 1/2 11/16
G.$ T.T.	29⅝	4 m/s. l.c. 29⅞
		Cash
Fcs. T.T.	664*	4 m/s. 722*
Rs. T.T.	79⅝	7 d/s. 80¼

*—Nominal.

Bar silver

	Ready	For'd
London pence per std. oz.	20	20
N.Y. cents per oz. troy	44¾	—
Bombay Rs. per 100 tolas	51.10	—

Bombay offtake 25 bars. Market quiet.

London silver at 20d. ready and forward showed a rise of 1/16 for spot and was unchanged forward. It was reported that China sold, speculators bought and buyers were satisfied, business was small and the market closed quietly steady. After the official fixing the market remained quietly steady with no special feature. New York silver at 44¾ cents was unchanged, whilst Bombay at Rs.51.10 showed a rise of 1 anna.

The local inter-bank exchange market opened yesterday morning with sellers at 1/2 7/16 sterling, 29 21/32 U.S.$ and 103 5/16 yen. There was no change throughout the morning, although the tone of the market became slightly easier towards the close.

Gold Bar Quotations

	Morning	Afternoon
Opening	$1,141.80	——
Highest	1,142.80	——
Lowest	1,141.80	——
Closing	1,142.80	——

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

Bombay Rupee T. T. on: June 29.

Japan	77⅜	London	1/6 3/32
New York	269⅜	" 2 mths	
Shanghai	81	" (sellers)	1/6 3/32
Hongkong	82¾	" (buyers)	1/6⅛

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	493.10	Shanghai	1/2½
Paris	unq.	Bombay	1/6⅛
Berlin	12.29¼	Hongkong	1/2 15/16
Amsterdam	8.98	Singapore	2/4 3/16
Brussels	29.22½	Yokohama	1/1 31/32
Madrid	87.50 N	" (buying)	1/1 31/32
Milan	93.70	C'Slovakia	141.50
Berne	21.54		

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.09	Japan	28.68
Spain	5.00	Shanghai	29.80
Holland	54.92	Austria	18.75
Paris	4.40	C'Slovakia	3.48⅝
Brussels	16.87¾	Hungary	19.75
Italy	5.26¼	Rumania	0.74
S'zerland	22.90½	Yugo Slavia	2.33
Sweden	25.45	Greece	0.90⅝
Norway	24.80	Bulgaria	1.35
Denmark	22.02½	Finland	2.18
Montreal	99 15/16	Poland	18.95
Brazil	8.31		

London	4.93 3/16
" Bankers' 60 days bills	4.92 5/8
" Commercial 60 days bills	4.91 13/16
Buenos Aires Paper	30.59
Buenos Aires Paper, Market rate	30.25
Montreal on London	4.94½

—Reuter.

FOREIGN MONEY RATES

London June 29.

Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	0 13/16%
Bank Bills,	6 "	0 15/16%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 "	2¼%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 "	2¾%
Call Money		0½%

New York:

Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months	0½%B 0⅜%A
Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months	0⅝%B 0½%A

—Reuter.

SWEDISH UNEMPLOYMENT ON DECLINE

According to a recent report, the number of unemployed seeking aid at the Swedish Unemployment Commission during April was 22,247 compared with 27,750 for March and 46,628 during April 1936.

JAPANESE GOVT. BONDS

Osaka, June 30.

Kogo 5%	Y.101.58
3rd Series, 5% (Red. 1965-88)	101.98

—Reuter.

SHANGHAI STOCK EXCHANGE

STOCKS	OPENING QUOTATIONS JUNE 30. Buy.	Sell.	Nom.
BANK & LOANS			
Central Properties $	—	15	—
ChinaBond&Share ,,	—	—	15½
China Finance .. ,,	—	—	.40
H. & S. Bank Hk. $	—	1980	—
Int. Inv. Trust.. $	3	—	—
S'hai Loan & Inv.. ,,	3	—	—
Union Mobiliere . ,,	—	—	20
Yangtsze Finance ,,	6	—	—
INSURANCES			
A.A.U. (ord.) .. $	—	—	10
Asia Life Ins. .. ,,	16½	—	—
As'ce Fr. As. Fcs. ,,	—	—	90
Int. Ass. Co., Ltd. ,,	3.30	—	—
Union Ins. .. Hk. $	—	—	625
LANDS			
Anglo-Fr. Land $	—	210	—
Cathay Land .. ,,	—	3	—
China Realty .. ,,	—	1	—
Fonciere & Im. . ,,	—	—	190
Metro Lands 'A'. ,,	—	—	7
Metro Lands 'B' ,,	—	—	7
S'Sing Properties ,,	—	10	—
S'hai Land .. ,,	13	14	—
Tientsin Land .. ,,	—	—	68
DOCKS, WHARVES TRANSPORT			
New Eng. (ord.). $	—	3.25	—
S'hai Dock . .. ,,	106	—	—
S. & H. Wharf . ,,	—	—	180
Wheelock .. .. ,,	16½	17	—
UTILITIES			
C. G. Omnibus . $	13	13½	—
S'hai Gas Co., Ltd.. ,,	9½	—	—
S'hai Telephone . ,,	—	—	80
Trams (Reg.) £1 ,,	38	—	—
,, (Bearer) £1 ,,	38½	38½	—
S.W.W. 'A' £20 . ,,	—	630	—
S.W.W. 'B' £1 . ,,	—	—	25½
S.W.W. 'C' £1 . ,,	—	—	25½
MISCELLANEOUS			
Auto Palace .. $	5½	6½	—
Bakerite Co. 'B'. ,,	10½	—	—
B.A.T.(Securities)'A'	—	92	—
Caldbeck, Mac. . $	16	—	—
C.I. & E. Lumber ,,	—	13	—
Chin. E. & M. Co. ,,	—	—	21
Chosen Corp. Ld. ,,	—	—	10
Culty Dairy .. ,,	—	18	—
Exploration .. ,,	1.70	—	—
Fr. Race Course. ,,	20	—	—
F. R. Course Non ,,	20	—	—
F.R.C.(Founders) ,,	—	—	50
Hall & Holtz .. ,,	—	—	9½
H. & S. Hotels Hk. $	—	—	8
Kelly & Walsh.. $	—	—	18
Mark L. Moody . ,,	—	—	6
Metal Ind.ofChinaLd.	—	10.70	—
Millington, Ltd. $	—	1.50	—
Office Appliance ,,	—	—	2½
S'haiVac.Cleaning ,,	—	—	7½
S.W.W. Fittings ,,	1.20	—	—
Union Brewery . ,,	—	—	5
BONDS & PREFS			
A.Asiatic Und.8% $	—	—	90
,, ,, 7% ,,	—	—	75
Caldbeck, Mac.8% ,,	—	17.80	—
China Finance 8% ,,	—	—	4
Ewo Mills 8% .. ,,	170	—	—
New Eng. 8% .. ,,	6.80	7	—
S'hai Power Co. ,,	135½	—	—
S'hai Tugs 7% .. ,,	—	—	66
S.W.W. 7% .. ,,	—	—	16½
S.W.W. 6½% .. ,,	—	—	16
COTTONS			
Ewo Mills (CumR.) $	17.50	17.70	—
,, ,, (Ex. R.) ,,	—	—	16.50
,, ,, (Rights) ,,	4.30	4.40	—
S'hai Cotton .. ,,	—	—	120
Zoong Sing .. ,,	—	—	37
PLANTATIONS			
Alma .... $	—	—	21
Anglo-Dutch ... ,,	—	—	8.90
Anglo-Java ..... ,,	14.50	—	—
Ayer Tawah .... ,,	5.70	—	—
Batu Anam .... ,,	1.24	—	—
Bute .... ,,	4.75	5	—
Chemor United . ,,	1.39	—	—
Cheng .... ,,	.88	—	—
Consolidated... ,,	—	—	4.80
Dominion ..... ,,	7.40	—	—
Gula (Bearer) .. ,,	—	—	36
Java Cons'ted .. ,,	2.20	—	—
Kapayang ...... ,,	—	—	35
Kedah .... ,,	—	—	6.80
Kota Bahroe .... ,,	3.30	—	—
Kroewoek ..... ,,	1.10	—	—
Langkat ...... ,,	8.20	—	—
Padang ...... ,,	1.50	—	—
Permata ...... ,,	—	—	.85
Repah .... ,,	.93	.96	—
Rubber Trust, Ltd.	3.35	3.40	—
Samagaga ..... ,,	.90	.94	—
Semambu ..... ,,	.95	—	—
Senwang ..... ,,	1.09	—	—
S'hai-Kelantan . ,,	.42	—	—
S'hai-Klebang .. ,,	.67	—	—
S'hai-Malay (ord.) ,,	—	—	25
S'hai-Malay (pref.) ,,	—	—	34
S'hai-Pahang .. ,,	—	—	3.70
S'hai Seremban .. ,,	1.51	—	—
Sua Manggis.... ,,	1.62	1.65	—
Sumatra ...... ,,	13½	—	—
Sungala ...... ,,	5.60	—	—
Sungei Duri .... ,,	34½	—	—
Tanah Merah .. ,,	2.32½	—	—
Tebong ...... ,,	1.03	—	—
Ziangbe ...... ,,	—	—	14.20

Yesterday's Business

A very quiet half day's trading was experienced on the local rubber share market yesterday, which closed very steady, with sellers reserved. In the general section of the market, Shanghai Power 6 per cent. Pref. were better, closing with buyers offering $136 for cash, whilst Shanghai Lands and Ewos were easier, the former being done at $13.20, and the latter closing with sellers at $17.50, both for July Settlement. The External and Railway Bond market was firm.

Morning Session

OFFICIAL

			CASH
£5,000	T. P. R. 1910 German Stpd.	L.D.	£76/-/-
100	Ewo Mills Rights		$ 4.35
600	Ewo Mills Ex Rights		$ 16.40
100	Bakerites "B"		$ 10.75
£600	S. H. N. R. (Completion)	Local £	93¾
5,000	Senawang	July	$ 1.10
50	Telephone		$ 79.00

11.30 AUCTION

1,000	Tebong	July	$ 1.05

FROM 11.30 AUCTION TILL CLOSING

200	S'hai Land	July	$ 13.20
6,000	Tanah Merah	July	$ 2.40
500	Bute		$ 4.90
1,000	Batu Anam	July	$ 1.27
1,360	S'hai Land	July	$ 13.20
1,000	Rubber Trust	July	$ 3.40
1,000	Bute		$ 4.90
1,000	Bute	July	$ 4.95
1,000	Kroewoek	July	$ 1.10

UNOFFICIAL

£50,000	Skoda Loan	L.D.	£22/-/-
1,000	Tebong		$ 1.03
$3,300	Power 5½% Debs. Ex. Bonus		$ 93.00
11	Ewo Mills Rights		$ 4.30
3,000	S'hai Land		$ 13.50
£55,000	Skoda Loan	L.D.	£22/-/-
£5,000	Vickers	L.D.	£44/-/-
£5,000	Marconi	L.D.	£44/-/-
G.$115,000	Chi. 6% 1921	N.Y. G.$	75½
1,200	S'hai Land	July	$ 13.50
87	Power (Pref)		$136.00
$3,000	Power 5½% Debs. Ex Bonus		$ 93.00
1,000	Batu Anam		$ 1.26
Morning Session		26,208	2,419

CHINESE EXTERNAL AND RAILWAY LOANS

Close prices yesterday were:—

	Buy.	Sell.	nom.
5% Gold 1912 (Crisp)	£	94½	
5% Reorganization Loan 1913:—			
,, British	£	101½	
,, French (S)	£99		
,, Belgian (S)	£98		
,, German (S)	£98½		
,, Russian (S)	£97	98	
5% G.$ 1925-47:—			
(French Boxer) (S.D.)	G.$101		
6% G.$ 1928-41:—			
(Belgian Boxer) (S.D.)	G.$103		
5% S'hai-N'king Rly. (S)	£		90½
S.N.R. Net Profit Cert.	£		9½
5% Tientsin-Pukow Rly. Loan:—			
,, 1908 British (S)	£75½		
,, 1908 German (S)	£75½		
,, 1910 British (S)	£75½		
,, 1910 German (S)	£75½		
5% Honan Rly. 1905	£86½		
5% Hukuang Rly. Loan:—			
,, 1911 L.P.N/Y (S)	£74½		
,, 1911 German (S)	£72½		
5% Lunghai Rly. 1913 (S)	£45½		
8% Lunghai Treasury Notes:—			
,, Dutch (U)	G.$		39
,, Belgian (S)	Frs.		39
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly. Loan:—			
,, 1907 British (S)	£56½		
8% Chinese Govt. Treas. Notes:—			
Vickers (S)	£43½	44½	
Marconi (S)	£43½	44½	
6% Chi. U.S. $ Loan 1921	£75		
6% Gvt. Int. 1934(Sh') (U)	£		105½
6% S.H.N.R. Com. (S)	£		95½
6% S.H.N.R Com.(Sh') (U)	£		93½
8% Skoda Loan	£22	22½	

S—Stamped. U—Unstamped.
S.D.—Shanghai Delivery.

OFFICIAL INDEXES

By courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

June	29	30	Change
S'hai Gen. Stock	47.05	46.96	Off 0.09
S'hai Rub. Share	283.48	284.15	Up 0.67
Chi. Govt. Bond	116.09	114.25	Off 1.84

BRITISH COMMODITIES

Tuesday's Closing Quotations

London, June 29.

Interest in commodities was overshadowed by the strength of the wheat market, which staged the sharpest rise in fifteen years, following the overnight advance in North American markets.

London Rubber: Spot, buyers 9½ —1/16; sellers 9⅝ —1/16; July delivery, buyers 9½ —1/16; sellers 9⅝ —1/16.

London Sugar (Buyers): August 6/7¾ —½; December 6/8 —¼; March 6/9¾ —¼.

Liverpool Wheat: July 9/5⅛ +6½; Oct. 9/5½ +7; December 9/5¼ +7.

Liverpool Cotton: American Futures: July 6.76 —5; Oct. 6.82 —5; Dec. 6.81 —5; Jan. 6.81 —6; Egyptian Futures (Sakels, F.G.F.): June 9.42 —8; July 9.52 —8; Aug. 9.52 —8; Sept. 9.62 —8.

London Metals: Copper, Standard, cash sellers £54½ —2; 3 mths £54 5/16 —1 1/16; Electrolytic, buyers £61 —1½; sellers £63 —1; Tin, Standard, Cash sellers £253¾ —2; 3 mths sellers £253¼ —2; Lead, Foreign, official prices £23¼ —1/16; 3 mths delivers £23 —¾; Spelter, Ordinary, official prices £21 1/16 —1 1/16; 3 mths delivery £21½ —1.—Reuter.

DOMESTIC BONDS

Yesterday's Quotations

	Opening	1st p.m. Session Closing
Consolidated "E," July	82.86	80.95
August	80.25	80.05
Consolidated "D," July	82.60	82.65
August	80.45	80.70
Consolidated "C," July	83.55	83.50
August	81.65	81.50
Consolidated "B," July	85.20	85.20
August	83.35	83.15
Consolidated "A," July	87.30	87.15
August	85.45	85.25
$6 Million, July	16.70	16.70
August	16.95	16.85
17th Year Currency	—	—

MANILA GOLD SHARES

By courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz and S. E. Levy & Co.

(Closing Bids in Pesos)

	June 29	June 30
Acoje	.15	.15
Antamok	.98	.99
Atok	.28	.27
Baguio Gold	.22	.22
Batong Buhay	.015	.015
Benguet Consolidated	10.00	10.25
Benguet Exploration	.10	.10
Big Wedge	.20	.20
Coco Grove	.68	.68
Consolidated Mines	.022	.023
Dayaka	.13	.13
Demonstration	.60	.61
East Mindanao	.20	.21
Gold Creek	.14	.14
Ipo	.19	.19
Itogon	.86	.86
I X L	.72	.74
Masbate	.24	.24
Mineral Resources	.26	.26
Mother Lode	.05	.05
Paracale Gold	.14	.14
Paracalegamus	.42	.43
San Mauricio	1.80	1.85
Suyoc	.36	.36
United Paracale	.79	.79
Universal Exploration	.21	.21

Quiet. Very steady.
Tuesday's turnover: 9,115,210 shares.
S. C. & F. Index (closing prices) 133.67.—Reuter.

U.S. COMMODITIES

Tuesday's Closing Quotations

New York, June 29.

Cotton prices early declined on Liverpool cables and renewed July liquidation, but eventually rallied on unwanted rains in portions of the cotton belt, the strength of wheat, New Orleans buying and covering. Finally, the market once again dropped under local realising. Closing quotations were from 4 to 6 points down from yesterday's close.

The rubber market eased under July liquidation and the issuance of 410 notices. Later, prices rallied partially on steady cables and in sympathy with the stock and grain markets. Some factory buying was reported. At the last call-over, quotations were from 2 points down to three points up.

Prices in the Chicago wheat pit moved up sharply on the strength of cables and the Winnipeg market, unfavourable Canadian crop and weather reports, and complaints of black rust damage in the United States spring wheat areas. Later, some realising and hedge pressure appeared. At the final bell, gains of 2⅛ to 2¼ cents were recorded.

Trading in the sugar market was limited, owing to the unsettled European situation. Prices moved lower under liquidation, commission house and producer selling on easier London advices. At the end of the day's trading, losses of ½ to 1 point were disclosed.

Quiet and drifting conditions prevailed in the silk market. There was some liquidation, but the technical position has improved. At the close, quotations were from 2½ to 3 cents above the previous final levels.—Reuter.

New York Cotton			New York Rubber		
July	12.16-16	—04	July	19.15-20	—02
Oct.	12.20-21	—04	Sept.	19.37-37	—01
Dec.	12.16-17	—06	Dec.	19.55-57	—02
Jan.	12.20-20	—05	Mar.	19.72-72	—02
Mar.	12.24-25	—04	May	19.89-89	+03
May	12.25-25	—05			

New York Sugar: Sept. 1.23½-24 —½ B/A

New York Silk: July 1.79½-80 +2½

Chicago Wheat: July 121-120⅞+2⅛; Sept. 122⅜-122⅛-2¼; Dec. 124½-124¼+2⅛

Chicago Corn (New Contr.): July 127¼-127⅛+⅞; Sept. 112⅝-112⅜—⅛; Dec. 80-79¾ —1¼

Winnipeg Wheat: Oct. 135¼ Bid+4⅛

Montreal Silver: Sept.44.20B-60A unc.

B—Bid A—Asked.—Reuter.

CHINA COMMODITIES

Yesterday's Quotations

		Opening	Closing
Cotton, July	pic.	45.10	45.10
October		45.10	45.00
Yarn 20's C. K. July	bale	260.00	259.00
September		267.10	264.50
		Chinese	Saigon
Rice, best retail	pic.	12.40	11.10
good retail		11.80	10.10
ordinary		11.00	9.10

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

SHANGHAI midnight last night=LONDON 3 p.m. yesterday

Midnight Bulletin

London, June 30.

Sterling on the London foreign exchange market this morning ruled steady in terms of dollars.

After opening with a drop of three points from yesterday's New York on London close to 493.15, the cross-rate on New York advanced ten points to 493.25 at 11 o'clock. This was followed by another gain of twelve points at 1 o'clock to 493.37.

Bar gold was fixed at 140/9d., unchanged from yesterday.

Silver ruled quietly steady, with "spot" and forward quoted at 20 1/16d. and 20⅛d., up 1/16d. and ⅛d. respectively. India bought. Offerings were small but buyers were satisfied.

Quiet and steady conditions prevailed for rubber, with July/Sept. option, at the time of going to press, quoted at 9⅝d. per lb., up 1/16d. from the previous final level.—Reuter.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS

Liverpool, June 30.

Wheat in Liverpool opened easy as a natural reaction to yesterday's big rise and some profit-taking which offset firm over-night foreign advices. Advance was resumed later on very bullish Canadian crop reports. At 1 p.m. July delivery gained ⅛d. to 9/5¼d. per 100 lb.

American cotton futures were quiet and featureless. At 1 o'clock July contract was quoted at yesterday's closing level of 6.76 pence per lb.—Reuter.

Tuesday's Closing Quotations

London, June 29.

The decision to close the Paris Bourse had little effect on the Stock Exchange to-day beyond the further restricting of business. Some Kaffirs and diamonds were marked down at the outset, in anticipation of Paris selling here, but recovered when this did not materialise.—Reuter.

The following are middle closing prices in London. Quotations are subject to confirmation.

By Courtesy Swan, Culbertson & Fritz and Benjamin & Potts through Reuter

	June 28	29
War Loan, 3½% (Red.)	£100	99 13/16
JAPANESE BONDS		
Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1907	82¼	83½
Japan 6% Stg. Loan, 1924	93	94¼

COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL		
Allied Ironfounders	30/9	30/9
Armstrong, Stevens	9/3	9/6
Assoc. & Elec. Indus.	47/4½	47/4½
Austin Motors, ord.	45/4½	44/4½
Bristol Aeroplane, ord.	46/-	49/4½
British-American Tob.	124/4½	123/9
Cable & W. 7½% N-C	£25½	£25¼
Cammell Laird, ord.	12/10½	12/9
Ccurtaulds	52/1½	51/10½
Distillers	113/3	112/3
Dunlop Rubber	33/6	33/3
General Elec. (Eng.)	79/6	79/4½
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	132/6	132/6
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	31/-	30/10½
Imp. Chem. Indus.	37/-	36/10½
Imp. Tobacco	152/6	151/10½
Leyland Motors	98/1½	96/3
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	70/10½	69/7½
O.K. Bazaars	41/3	41/3
Pressed Steel, com.	23/9	23/4½
Rolls-Royce	106/3	106/10½
Smethwick Drop Forgings	23/-	23/-
Tate & Lyle	87/10½	87/10½
Turner & Newall	93/1½	92/6
United Steel	30/-	29/9
Vickers ord.	28/7½	28/3
Woolworths	75/6	74/-
MISCELLANEOUS		
Anglo Dutch	40/6	39/6
Rubber Pltn. Invests.	38/6	38/-
MINES		
Burma Corp.	17/9	17/4½
Commonwealth Min.	5/-	4/9
Exploration Co.	3/9	3/9
Marsman Invests.	23/9	23/9
Randfontein Ests.	50/7½	49/4½
Sub-Nigel	190/-	186/3
Tanami Gold Min.	9d.	9d.
OILS		
Anglo Iranian	122/6	121/3
Burmah	118/9	118/9
Mexican Eagle	18/3	18/1½
Shell Trans. & Trad.	109/4½	108/1½

Benjamin & Potts, S. E. Levy & Co. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz and White, White & Co. through Reuter

CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC. June	28	29
4½% Gold Loan of 1898	£102½	102½
4½% Anglo-French Loan	100	100
5% Crisp Loan, 1912	94¼	94¼
5% Reorg. Loan, 1913	101¼	101¼
5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	104¼	104½
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	89½	90½
5% T'tsin-Pukow Rly. B.	74	74½
5% ,, ,, G.	73½	74½
5% ,, ,, (Supl. Loan) B.	73½	74½
5% ,, ,, (Supl. Loan) G.	73½	74½
5% Honan Rly., 1905	87	87
5% Hukuang Rly., 1911	74½	75
5% ,, ,, (Ger. Is.)	72	72
5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	44¾	46
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly.	56	56½
8% Sterling Notes, 1925	43¼	44
Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton	37½	37½
S'hai Waterwork "A"	36	36
S'hai Elec. Construction	46/-	46/-
Chinese Eng. & Min.	25/3	25/3
H. & S Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	121	121
Chartd. Bank of I. A. & C.	15⅝	15⅝
Chosen Corp.	11/6	11/6
Pekin Syndicate	8/-	8/-
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	41/3	41/3

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

SHANGHAI twelve o'clock midnight=NEW YORK 11 a.m. yesterday.

Midnight Bulletin

New York, June 30.

Trading was inactive at the opening of the stock market this morning. Rails and oils were in some demand and showed slight appreciations, while other counters were inclined to be neglected. Later, buying support widened and extended along the whole line, with metals and steels particularly in demand. At the time of going to press, however, small-scale profit-taking tended to hamper the upward movement.

Profit-taking with lack of support depressed cotton prices at the outset and July delivery declined 9 points from last closing level to 12.07. During early trading, the market worked both ways and, after recovering 4 points to 12.11, July option reverted to the opening figure of 12.07.

With buyers attempting to operate under the market at the initial call, July contract was quoted at 19.12 bid, three points lower than previous final level. Sellers were not interested at this rate and no further change was recorded in the July quotation up to the time of going to press.

On unencouraging overseas advices, the wheat market in Chicago opened barely steady, with July delivery quoted at 120¾, a decline of ⅛ cent from yesterday's final call. Fairly good demand thereupon stiffened the market and July option advanced ⅞ cent to 121⅝. Corn moved in sympathy with wheat. After losing ⅜ cent from Tuesday's close to 126¾, July contract appreciated ½ cent to 127¼.

Steady conditions prevailed for Montreal silver, with September delivery gaining ten points at the initial call to 44.30B/44.70A.—Reuter.

Wall Street Comment

By courtesy S. E. Levy and Company

Dow-Jones reports mild buying yesterday of mail-orders and farm equipments stock. There has been foreign buying of coppers. Operators interested in oils are buying Socony-Vacuum Corp. on any weakness and they predict a new high shortly. Gasoline stocks are down over 1,000,000 barrels, with a moderate increase in crude oil production reported. Pure Oil Co. has struck another big oil well in Illinois.

"Wall Street Journal" Comment

By courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

The "Journal" reports that chartists are encouraged with the industrial averages failure to seek a new low on the latest decline.

Brokers do not believe there will be sustained activity or price trend until the domestic and foreign affairs are settled, meanwhile the uncertainty is in favour of the downside.

Some predict Socony Vacuum will soon make a new high.

Gossip and rumours at present are largely bearish.

Wednesday's Opening Quotations

	Tues. night Close	Wed. a.m. Open	10.30	11.00
Anaconda Copper	50½	—	51⅜	51⅜
Baltimore & Ohio	25⅜	25½	25¾	25⅝
Bethlehem Steel	81¾	81⅝	82⅜	82¼
Chrysler	95½	95½	95½	95⅞
Elec. Bond & Sh.	15⅛	14⅞	15	15
Gen. Motors	48½	48½	48⅞	48⅝
Int. Tel. & Tel.	10⅛	10½	10½	10⅜
N.Y. Central	34⅞	35½	36	36
St. Oil of N.J.	64½	65	65¼	65⅛
U.S. Steel	96⅞	97½	98½	97⅞
Cotton July	12.16-16	12.07-08	12.11	12.07
Cotton Dec.	12.16-17	12.17-19	12.20	12.18
Rubber July	19.15-20	19.12B	19.12B	19.12B
Chic. W. July	121-120⅞	120¾-121⅛	—	121⅝
Chic. W. Sept.	122⅜-122⅛	122-122⅛	—	122⅝
Chic. C. July	127¼-127⅛	126¾-126⅞	—	127¼

(New). B—Bid.—Reuter.

Tuesday's Closing Quotations

New York, June 29.

Trading in the stock market to-day was sluggish, with prices edging forward up to 2 points. Steels and rails were to the forefront, although profit-taking was a restraining influence. The French suspension of gold payments, which has long been expected, had little effect on the market. Brokers reported moderate buying on balance from abroad. The turnover amounted to 550,000 shares.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	168.10	165.11	167.11	+0.40
20 Rails	50.95	50.21	50.55	+0.38
20 Utilit.	25.80	25.35	25.56	+0.11
40 Bonds	—	—	99.54	—0.17
11 Commod.	—	—	71.44	+0.04

June	28	29
Adams Express	15⅝	15½
Allegheny Steel Co.	32⅛	32½
Allis Chalmers	57¾	58⅞
Amer. Can	93	92
Amer. Cyanamid "B"	29¾	30
Amer. & For. Power	6¾	6¾
,, ,, $7 pfd.	48	48
Amer. Locomotive	39	38
Amer. Metals	44½	43⅛ B
Amer. Radiator	19	18¾
Amer. Rolling Mill	33⅛	33⅞
Amer. Smelting	81⅝	82
Amer. Sugar Ref.	43	43½
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	159⅞	160⅝
Amer. Tobacco "B"	77	76½
Amer. Waterworks	16⅛	16
Anaconda Copper	50¾	50½
Atchison, T. & S. Fe	73	75
Atlantic Ref. Co.	27½	27⅝
Atlas Corp.	15	15
Auburn	15¾	15
Baldwin Loco. $7 cum.	65 B	70
Baltimore & Ohio	25¼	25⅜
Barber Co.	27¾	27⅝
Barnsdall Oil Co.	24	23¾
Bethlehem Steel	81½	81¾
Boeing Airplane Co.	27½	27½
Borden Co.	22⅝	23
Briggs Manufacturing Co.	39½	40
Bklyn-Manhattan Trans.	20½	20½
,, ,, $6 cum.	67 B	69 B
Case, J.I.	155	157
Can. Pacific Rly.	12½	12⅜
Celanese Corp.	34⅞	35⅞
Ceror De Pasco	62¾	63 B
Chase Nat. Bank	46⅜ B	46½ B
Chesapeake Corp.	67	63 B
Chesapeake & Ohio	50⅜	50¼
Chrysler	96½	95¼
Columbia Gas & Elec.	10⅞	10⅝
,, ,, 6%	80	82½
Coml. Credit	57⅝	57¼
Coml. Solvents	13	13
Comm. & Sthrn. (ord.)	2¼	2⅛
,, ,, 46 cum.	46½ B	46½ B
Consolid. Copper Mines	9	9½
Consolid. Edison	32	32¼
Consolid. Oil	14⅞	14⅞
Continental Can	50⅛	51
Continental Oil	43	43⅛
Corn Products	60	60¾
Coty, Inc.	6¾	6⅞
Curtiss Wright (com.)	5⅛	5⅛
,, ,, "A"	16¾	17
Delaware & Hudson	34	35
Delaware, Lackawanna	14	14¼
Deere Co.	124½	127½
Distillers Corp.	20⅜	21
Douglas Aircraft	54⅝	55½
Du Pont de Nemours	150⅜	150½
Eagle Picher Lead	18	17¾
Elec. Boat Co.	9½	9½
Elec. Bond & Sh.	14⅜	14⅝
,, ,, $5 pfd.	57¼ B	57¼ B
,, ,, $6 pfd.	68	68 B
Elec. Power & Lt.	16¾	16¾
,, ,, 7% pfd.	65	65
Flintkote Co.	27	26½ B
Gen. Cigar	34⅞	34¾
Gen. Elec.	51⅛	51½
Gen. Foods	37	37¼
Gen. Motors	48¾	48½
Gen. Rail. Signal	42½	42
Glidden Co.	40¾	41½
Godchaux Sugar, Class	39½	39 B
Goodrich (B.F.)	37¾	38
,, $5 pfd.	77⅜ B	77⅞
Goodyear Tire & R.	36⅝	37
Great Northern Rly.	46⅞	47⅞
Great Western Sugar	34⅞	35
Greyhound Corp.	13¼	13⅝
Hecker Prods.	11⅜	11¼
Humble Oil	75¼	76
Int. Nickel	57⅝	57¾
Int. Tel. & Tel.	10	10⅛
Interstate Department	22¾	24
Kennecott	54⅞	54¾
Lambert Co.	18½	18⅜
Libby-Owens-Ford Glass	59⅜	59¼
Lockheed Aircraft	11⅝	11¾
Loew's Inc.	73⅞	74½
Lorillard	20¼	20⅜
McKesson & Robbins Inc.	43	43
Martin, Glenn L. Co.	19½	19¼
Missouri Pacific R.R.	3⅝	3⅝
Montanto Chemical	86	86¾
Montgomery Ward	53¼	54
Mountain City Copper	10	10¼ B
Nat. Bond & Investment	23 B	26
Nat. Cash Register	31¾	31¾**
Nat. City Bank	40½ B	41¼ B
Nat. Dairy Products	18⅞	18⅞
Nat. Distillers	28	28⅛
Nat. Power & Lt.	9	9
Nat. Steel	79¼	79½
Nat. Supply Co.	34½	35
North Amer.	11	11
New York Central	35	34⅞
Niagara Hudson & Power	10¾	11⅛
North Amer. Aviation	11	11
North Amer.	22⅜	22
Northern Pacific	26⅛	27¼
Pacific Gas & Elec.	29½	29¼*
Pacific Lighting	41	41
Packard Motors	8¾	8⅝
Paramount Pictures Inc.	17½	17½
,, ,, 1st pfd.	122	122¼
Pennsylvania R.R.	34¾	35
Phillips Petroleum	52¾	53¼
Public Ser. of N.J.	37¾	37¾
Pure Oil	17⅛	17⅜
Radio Corp. of Amer.	7⅞	7¾
Republic Steel Co.	34⅜	34⅛
Revere Copper & Brass	33⅛	32
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	49½	49½
Schenley	39¾	38⅞
,, 5½% pfd.	94½ B	93½ B
Sears Roebuck	85¾	86
Shell Union Oil	27⅛	27
Socony-Vacuum	19	18⅞
Sthrn. Cal. Edison	23½	24
Sthrn. Pacific	41½	41½
Sthrn. Rly.	26½	26⅜
Sthrn. Rly. 5% pfd.	38	39½
Stand. Brands	11⅞	12
Stand. Gas & Elec.	6¼	6¼
,, ,, $7 pfd.	37¼	38½ B
Stand. Oil of N.J.	64¼	64½
Sterling Prods.	63¾	62½
Studebaker	12⅝	12⅝
Swift International	30⅛	30⅛
Technicolor	27	27⅝
Texas Corp.	57⅞	58
Texas Gulf Sulphur	34½	34¾
Tide Water Associated	16½	16½
Timken Detroit Axle	19½	20¼
Transamerica	12⅞	12⅞
Twentieth Century Fox	31¾	31
,, ,, pfd.	39	38 B
Un. Carbide & Carbon	98½	99½
Un. Pacific	123	123
Un. Aircraft (new)	26⅛	26¾
Un. Airline Trans.	15	15
Un. Corp.	4¼	4¼
,, $3 cum. pfd.	36¼	36¼
Un. Gas Corp.	8⅛	8¼
Un. Gas Improvement	11⅝	11⅞
Un. Light & Pwer. "A"	5	5¼
U. S. Indus. Alcohol	29	29 B
U. S. Rubber	53⅜	54
,, ,, 8%	87	87
U. S. Smelt., Ref.	82 B	83⅝
U. S. Steel	96¼	96¾
Vanadium	25¼	26
Warner Bros. Pict's	12	12
Westinghouse Air Brakes	40¾	40¼*
Westinghouse Elec.	136½	137½
BONDS		
Amer. & For. Power	77	76¾
Anglo-Chilean Nintrate	32½	31½ B
Brazil	39⅛	39⅛
Cities Serv.	63⅞	63⅛
Int. Tel. & Tel. Conv.	88	89½
Int. Tel. & Tel. 5s	72	72¼
New England Gas & Elec.	67	66¾
Peru 6s 1961	19¼	19
Rio Grande de Sul	26¼	26¼ B
Stand. Gas & Elec.	67	65½

SPECIAL WEEKLY LIST OF CLOSING June	22	29
Alleghany Corp.	39¾	36¼
Amer. Locomotive pfd.	102 B	101¼
Amer. Steel Foundries	54¼	51¼
Amer. Waterworks $6	86½ B	80 B
Ass. Gas & Elec.	20⅝	18
Atlantic Gulf & W.	22⅜ B	22¼ B
Baltimore & Ohio Rly.	31	28½
Bethlehem Steel	17½	17½
Bristol Myers	40¼ B	40¾
Budd Mfg.	7⅝	7⅜
Chicago Great Western.	10¼	9
Chic. Milwaukee	3¾	3⅜
Colgate-Palmolive-Peet	19¼	18¾
Collins & Aikman	48	47¾
Consumers Power pfd.	85 B	84¾ B
Cuban Amer. Sugar	8⅛	7⅞
Crown Zellerbach	18⅝	16¾
Cudahy Packing	38 B	38½ B
Distillers Corp.	80 B	85¾
Elec. Power & Lt.	65	60 B
Erie 1st pfd.	22¼	19⅝
Erie 2nd pfd.	16½	14⅝
Firestone, T. & R.	102⅜ B	102 B
Freeport Sulphur	25¼	26½
Gen. Mills	61½	60⅜
Gen. Cable	22	22
Goodyear pfd.	115¼	113
Gilette Safety Razor	14¼	14⅜
Great Northern Iron	19¼ B	18⅜
Holland Furnace	37	37
Howe Sound	73	72
Hudson Motors	14⅜	14⅛
Interlake Iron	18⅜	18
Int. Agric. Corp.	43 B	42 B
Int. Harvester	106⅞	105¼
Int. Mining (Com.)	11	11⅛ B
Int. Paper & Power Co.	17½	16½
Johns Manville	125½	125
Lerner Stores	41½	40½ B
Lone Star Cement	54¾	52¼
Louisanna Land	11⅞	11⅞
Missouri Power & Lt.	94 B	93½ B
Nash Kelvinator	17¼	17
Nat. Lead	34	32⅝
Nat. Power & Lt.	62B**	58 B
Ohio Oil	18½	18½
Otis Elevator	39¾	39
Owens Illinois Glass	90	88½
Pennroad Corp.	3⅝	3½
Phelps Dodge Corp.	44¼	43
Pressed Steel Car, pfd.	19¾ B	18 B
Remington Rand	23⅛	22¾
Ruberoid Co.	32½	31
Simmons Co.	44⅛	44½
Stand. Oil of California	40⅞	39⅞
Stewart Warner	17½	17
Texas Pacific Land Trust	10⅜	10
Tide Water Ass. Oil	94 B	93¼ B
Un. Biscuit	23 B	22¼ B
Wilson & Co.	8⅞	8⅝
Yellow Trucks	23⅜	22⅞
BONDS		
Alleghany Corp.	93½	96
Armour & Co.	97¾	96½
Amer. Writing Paper	38½ B	37½ B
Ass. Gas & Elec.	54½ B	54½ B
Argentine 4½s 1971	100⅜	100½
,, 4s 1972	91¾	91⅞
Baldwin Loco	160 B	140 B
,, (ex warrants)	158	135
Baltimore & Ohio R.R.	81¼	75
Bethlehem Steel 3¾s	95	93¾
Brooklyn-Manhattan	86⅛	85
Buenos Aires, 4s	79½	82½
Certainteed Products	76	79 B
Cent. of Georgia R.R.	16⅞A	15¼ B
Chi. City Rly.	63	63¾
Chi. & N. W. Rly.	20½	20
Chic. & Mil. St. Paul	24	21½
Chic. & W.W. Rly.	40	37⅞
Chile Mortgage Bank	16⅝	16¾
Denver & Rio Grande	28½	28¼
Erie 5s '67	73¼	69¾
Goodrich (B.F.) Conv.	104¾	104
Illinois Power & Lt.	100½	100¾
Ill. Cent. Chic. St.	77	69¾
Interstate Power	51½	51¾
Minn. St. Paul & Ste.	22	20½
Miss. Kansas, Texas R.R.	64½	64
Mortgage Bank	23	23⅛
Nat. Power & Lt.	75	75¾
,, 6s 2030	86	84½ B
N. Y. New Haven	64⅝	63
New England Pwr. Ass.	93⅝	93
Northern Pac. Ref.	98	95¼
Norway 4½s 1965	102⅝	102¼
Oklahoma Nat. Gas	97⅜	97¼
Oslo 4½s 1955	100⅝	100¾
Pacific Coast	67 B	64
Paramount Picts.	100¼	99¾
Republic of Chile	20½	20
Republic Steel	95¼	95
Republic of Colombia	26½	25⅝
Sthrn. Pacific R.R.	85½	81½
,, 4½s '77	95¼	92½
Rio Grande Western	36½	35
Sthrn. Rly.	96¼	90½
Youngstown Sheet	129¾	125 B
,, ,, 4s	101	100¼
St. Louis San Frisco	22 B	22 A
,, 4%	23	21¼

A—Asked B—Bid *—Ex Div. **—Ex Div. on June 25.—Reuter.

SILVER QUOTATIONS

London, June 30.

Silver prices advanced slightly to-day, the quotations being:—

	June 29	June 30
London spot	20d.	20 1/16d.
,, forward	20d.	20⅛d.
London/New York:		
One pound U.S.	$4.93¼	$4.93⅜
One U.S. dollar	48.657d.	48.645d.

—Reuter.

Shanghai Exchange (Closing)

One Chinese dollar	1/2 5/16
do.	U.S.$0.29 11/32
do.	1 1.03 5/16

BUSINESS PROBLEMS TOLD IN BERLIN

Chambers Congress Studies World Difficulties

Berlin, June 30.

Addressing the second plenary meeting of the ninth congress of the International Chamber of Commerce, Herr Bjoern-Pytz, one of Sweden's foremost industrialists, said sporadic incursions by governments into the sphere of industrial life could not be regarded as planned economy considering as they were purely emergency measures to be discarded as soon as the particular danger had been overcome.

Mr. Harold Butler, director of the International Labour Office, declared himself in favour of organized economy which had become necessary for social justice. Its success could only be assured by co-operation among nations.

The future of the trusts, the status of subsidiary companies abroad, the problems of double taxation, of distribution, transportation and inland shipping were the topics discussed yesterday.

Mr. Alois Meyer, director-general of the International Crude Steel Trust, said negotiations were proceeding between his Trust and the British Government for a solution of all outstanding questions.

The French delegate, M. Marlio, gave interesting details on the work of the Aluminium Trust which he said was particularly concerned with safeguarding consumer interests.

Herr Fruetz of Sweden, on the basis of a report by the Commission which studied the workings of the rubber, tin and aluminium trusts, the International Crude Steel Trust and the Continental Pipe Trust, proposed that inquiries be pursued.—Trans-Ocean.

TRADE BALANCE IN JAPAN ADVERSE

Further Sixteen Million Yen Deficit Reported

Tokyo, June 30.

Japan's adverse balance of foreign trade since the beginning of the year to-day reached Y.641,101,000, with the addition of an unfavourable balance of Y.16,191,000 registered in the past ten days.

The imports for the ten-day period stood at Y.134,706,000, while exports reached Y.118,515,000.

Cotton textiles continued to head the list of exports, with Y.19,177,000, followed by raw silk Y.7,810,000, machinery Y.5,555,000, rayon textiles Y.4,695,000, and processed iron Y.2,855,000.

Other exports included silk textiles, valued at Y.2,573,000; rayon yarn Y.2,537,000; canned and bottled foods Y.2,364,000; knitted goods Y.2,279,000; porcelain and pottery Y.1,977,000; paper Y.1,536,000; hats Y.730,000; and refined sugar Y.548,000.

For the first time this year, iron replaced raw cotton as the leading import item. The respective figures were: Y.25,593,000 and Y.24,050,000. Imported wool was valued at Y.9,-664,000.

Other items of imports included machinery Y.6,529,000; copper Y.3,-588,000; rubber Y.3,531,000; pulp Y.3,378,000; steel Y.2,914,000; beans Y.2,912,000; lumber Y.2,342,000; coal Y.1,587,000; automobiles Y.1,217,000.—Domei.

BERLIN BOURSE

Berlin, June 29.

The Berlin share market was closed to-day as the rooms were being prepared for a gala event in connection with the reception for the delegates to the 9th Congress of the International Chamber of Commerce. The exchanges in other German cities were not closed.

Reichsmark quotations without guarantee:—New York 40.105, Paris unquoted, Amsterdam 72.90 to 72.94, London 12.29.—Trans-Ocean.

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Less Tax at 5/- in the £	£ 0.	15	0.
Net amount payable.	£ 2.	5.	0.
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Per Coupon (Gross)	£15.	0.	0.
Less Tax at 5/- in the £	£ 3.	15.	0.
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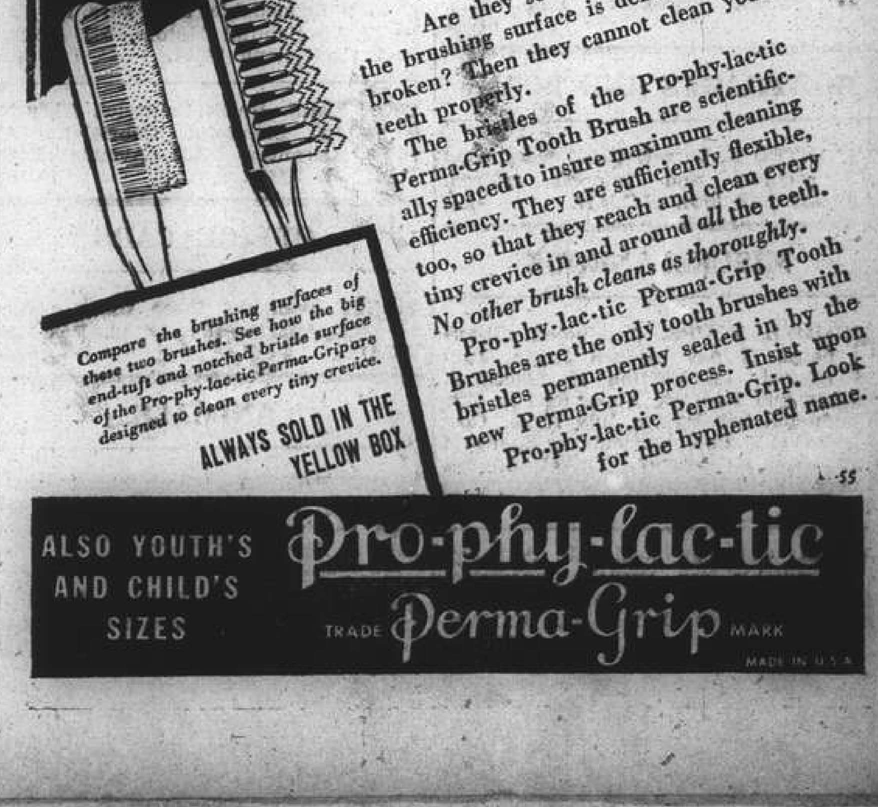

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Shortage Feared During Next Nine Months

A new problem is facing the already problem-ridden British film industry, states the "Morning Post". It is the likelihood of a serious dearth of British pictures during the next nine months, and possibly longer. Such a shortage will mean that the present quota law which the Government hopes to increase gradually, cannot possibly be fulfilled.

This situation has arisen as an offshoot of the crisis which began last January. Pending reorganization of the industry, either from within or by the Government, credit for producers wanting to make new films has almost ceased to exist. Financiers, insurance companies, and banks have, generally speaking, been cautious about lending any more money till the future development of the industry has become more certain.

Resort to "Quickies"

The effect of this check will mean that soon it will be impossible for exhibitors to hire the necessary 20 per cent. footage of British pictures for show in their cinemas. Such a situation might have an injuriously weakening effect on the start of any new legislation or reorganization.

If exhibitors are unable to hire presentable British films they will either have to break the law by falling short of the quota or subsidize their programmes with such "quickies" as are available. "Quickies" are those films made, mainly by foreign-owned companies producing films in England, at a minimum of time and expense for quota purposes. The presentation of too many "quickies" and the dearth of more ambitious, bona-fide British films would go far to destroying such prestige as has been gained by our studios in the last two years.

The summer months are the most important for the British trade. Lacking the climatic advantages of Hollywood, full use must be made of the longer and better lighting conditions for shooting outside scenes, if only for economic reasons. If the present state of indecision continues till the end of the summer the best months of the year will virtually be wasted. Stocks available for exhibitors will be lower during next winter and spring than they have been for the last four years.

BRITISH AIRCRAFTS' NEW ALLOYS

Stronger and Lighter Than Aluminium

British scientists in the Metallurgy Department of the National Physical Laboratory at Teddington have developed two important new series of light alloys of magnesium, which will be of great importance in the production of aircraft.

Magnesium alloys are lighter than those of aluminium, but hitherto have lacked their strength. This has been the main obstacle to their greater use.

The report states that one of the new series of alloys containing magnesium, with small amounts of aluminium, silver and other metals, has greatly increased strength at ordinary temperatures, and is considerably lighter than good aluminium alloys. The second series, containing cerium—a rare metallic element—and small proportions of other metals, retain their strength at high temperatures better than the light alloys previously in use.

Eliminating Noise

Children would be fascinated by some of the devices used in the Physics Department for investigating noise problems. One of these is a tiny windmill, each sail of which is tipped with a "boot." As the sail revolves the "boots" deliver a succession of blows on a floor. The noise represents that of a person walking in an upstairs flat.

By substituting for the ordinary floor an insulated floor resting on rubber supports it was found that the sound of footsteps could be almost eliminated.

One of the most highly sensitive instruments made by the laboratory this year is a microphone-amplifier equipment, with which it is possible to detect the presence of destructive insects in timber.

It has even been found possible to distinguish between different kinds of insects or larvæ, by noting the differences in the sounds made by them, though the insects may be far below the surface of the timber.

BIG SCHEME FOR WEMBLEY

Making Room for 40,000 More Spectators

It is planned to increase the accommodation at Wembley Stadium by nearly half so that there will be room for 40,000 more spectators at next year's F. A. Cup Final, and at the England v. Scotland match which is also due to be played there.

Mr. A. Brook Hirst, a member of the Football League Management Committee and Final Tie Committee, disclosed at the annual meeting of the Football League in London recently that negotiations had been proceeding with the Wembley authorities. The suggestion was for additional terracing, supported on pillars, behind each goal, capable of providing for 32,000 to 36,000 spectators and also room for an extra 4,500 alongside the touchlines.

The alterations would cost approximately £60,000 and, continued Mr. Brook Hirst, the burden would fall on the Football Association. The F. A. needed an assurance that they would be recouped over a period of years for such an expenditure.

One of their conditions was that their lease of the Stadium be extended from seven years to fourteen. It was also necessary that Cup finalists of the future should not seek an increased share of Cup Final proceeds. The clubs agreed not to ask for an increase—the share of the finalists is usually about £5,500—and Mr. Brook Hirst thereupon said he would put the matter before the Finance Committee of the F. A. later.

The present accommodation at Wembley is approximately 93,000. Hampden Park, the venue of the Scottish Cup Final holds 150,000.

CONSCRIPTION BEGINS IN NANKING

Hopes for 40,000,000 Men in Country-wide Training

NANKING GOVERNMENT'S STATEMENT

Nanking, June 30.

Able-bodied male citizens here between the age of 20 and 25 are being drafted for military service as part of a nation-wide conscription programme which, it is hoped, will eventually have 40,000,000 able-bodied persons under military training in this country.

While no definite figures can be obtained at the present moment, city authorities estimate that there are 30,000 men in Nanking between the ages of 20 and 25, but only 10,000 men will be included in the first draft. The city government has issued a lengthy statement explaining to the public the "necessity and advantages" of conscription and giving the full text of the conscription law.

Foreign countries, it says, maintain comparatively small standing armies, thus keeping down their annual military expenditure to a minimum, but, because of their conscription programme, they are able to organize immediately millions of fighting men to defend their countries in times of national crisis.

After dwelling on the disadvantages of a mercenary army, the statement emphasizes that conscription was always enforced in China by ancient dynasties.

With 40,000,000 able-bodied citizens having gone through full army training, the statement proceeds, China will be ready to defend her rights in the event of foreign aggression.

Under the conscription law, all able-bodied persons between the age of 18 and 45 will have to undergo military service. They will be divided into four groups, according to their ages, namely, 18 to 20; 20 to 25; 25 to 40; and 40 to 45.—Reuter.

HUGE JAMBOREE IN U.S. OPENS

30,000 Scouts Gather in Washington

Washington, June 29.

The largest Boy Scout Jamboree ever held in America opened here to-day with the arrival of 30,000 scouts and a further 70,000 friends and relations who had come to see the display.

The "Boy Scout City" covers a site of 400 acres along the banks of the Potomac River. It consists of 10,000 tents, and boasts a public utility system of remarkable size, including eight miles of specially-laid water conduits, providing 1,000,000 gallons daily, 714 kitchens and 250 cooks, 24 field hospitals, four ambulances and 100 doctors, an electric light system, four miles of sewers, 1,500 shower baths, 100 telephone connections, 25 branch post offices, a daily newspaper published and printed in the camp, and an arena seating 30,000 people. The Jamboree will last until July 8 and is expected to attract about 1,000,000 visitors to Washington.

The Scouts will be reviewed by President Roosevelt and will be entertained by him to a garden party in the White House grounds.

The Scout authorities are proud of the way in which they solved the washing-up problem. Instead of hiring upwards of 10,000 plates, they have bought 2,487,742 paper plates, and claim they have calculated the supply so accurately that not one will be wasted.—Reuter.

OBITUARY

Mr. Frank Vanderlip

New York, June 29.

Mr. Frank Arthur Vanderlip, a towering figure of American commercial and banking interests for many years, died in hospital here to-day. He became ill in California a year ago. He was 72 years old.

A native of Aurora, Ill., he was left as the virtual support of his entire family when still a youth, following the death of his father. He started work in a machine shop, but took lessons in draughtmanship and earned enough money later by tutoring to take himself to the University of Illinois.

Drifting into newspaper work, he later became head of Scudder's Investigation Agency in Chicago but returned to journalism as financial editor of the "Chicago Tribune."

He came to the attention of Mr. Lyman J. Gage, financier, and in March 1897 when Mr. Gage was appointed Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Vanderlip became his secretary but three months later was made Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

During the Spanish-American War he floated a $200,000,000 loan by popular subscription. His handling of the war loan attracted the attention of the nation's leading financiers, and Mr. James A. Stillman of the National City Bank of New York offered him a post.

Eight years later, with deposits reaching $240,000,000, Mr. Vanderlip was made president of the bank. He retired in 1919. Thereafter he did much travelling in Europe reviewing post-war conditions. He deplored American activity in European finance. He later prophesied the American boom.

In an address in February 1924, he declared that President Harding had sold his paper, the "Marion Star," for $550,000 "when everybody could see it wasn't worth half the sum." The implication caused a sensation in Washington. In April 1924 reverberations of the affair caused his retirement from active business and he returned to Wall Street in 1927 only as a special partner in the firm of Starring and Campbell, acting in an advisory capacity.

Mr. Vanderlip married Miss Carcissa Cox of Chicago, in 1903. Their children are Charlotte D., Frank A., Virginia J., Kelvin and John M. He held trusteeships in the Carnegie Foundation, the New York University, and Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He held many decorations from foreign governments.—United Press.

The Swedish Foreign Minister, Dr. R. J. Sandler, will fly to Moscow on July 8 on an official visit, according to the "Stockholm Tidningen." He will be accompanied by Mme. Kollontay, the Soviet Minister to Sweden.